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# DAVID FROM LONDON IS THE BEANO BOSS!



HEY, READERS! I'M THE BEANO BOSS THIS WEEK! MY NAME'S DAVID!



I LOVE PLAYING VIDEO GAMES WITH MY FRIENDS AFTER TEA. COME ON, DENNIS! THE SLIME MONSTERS WON'T DEFEAT THEMSELVES!

I'M DOING IT! YOU'VE GOT TO FIND THE KING TO DEFEAT THEM ALL!



LATER...

TIME FOR BED, OR YOU'LL BE TIRED TOMORROW!

DENNIS, I SHOULD GO. THAT'S MY MUM TELLING ME IT'S TIME FOR BED.

JUST ONE MORE ROUND - WE'RE SO CLOSE TO THE NEXT LEVEL!

OKAY, BUT ONLY FOR A BIT.



LATER STILL...

GET TO BED! NOW!

OOPS! GOTTA GO, DENNIS!



THE NEXT MORNING...

OH NO! I'VE OVERSLEPT! I'M GOING TO BE LATE FOR SCHOOL! ARRGH!



MUM WAS RIGHT... PLAYING TOO MANY GAMES HAS MADE ME TIRED! IT'S SATURDAY!

## WANT TO BE

## THE BEANO BOSS?

Next week, it could be you!

ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS ANSWER THIS QUESTION!

Who's trying to get fit in Dennis and Gnasher?

The answer is somewhere in this comic!



LOOK WHAT HAPPENS IF YOU GET TO BE THE BEANO BOSS!



- PICK THE BEST JOKES
- TEST OUT THE PRANK
- AWARD SOMEONE THE GOLDEN SPLAT
- READ THE COMIC STRIPS FIRST
- AND LOADS MORE!

Email your answer to:

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Make sure you tell us:

**1** The answer to the question!

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Don't forget to include a photo too!

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The funniest entry will be chosen by the Beano editor. Please see page 35 for important details. Did you know, a decapitated cockroach head can still wiggle its antennae?

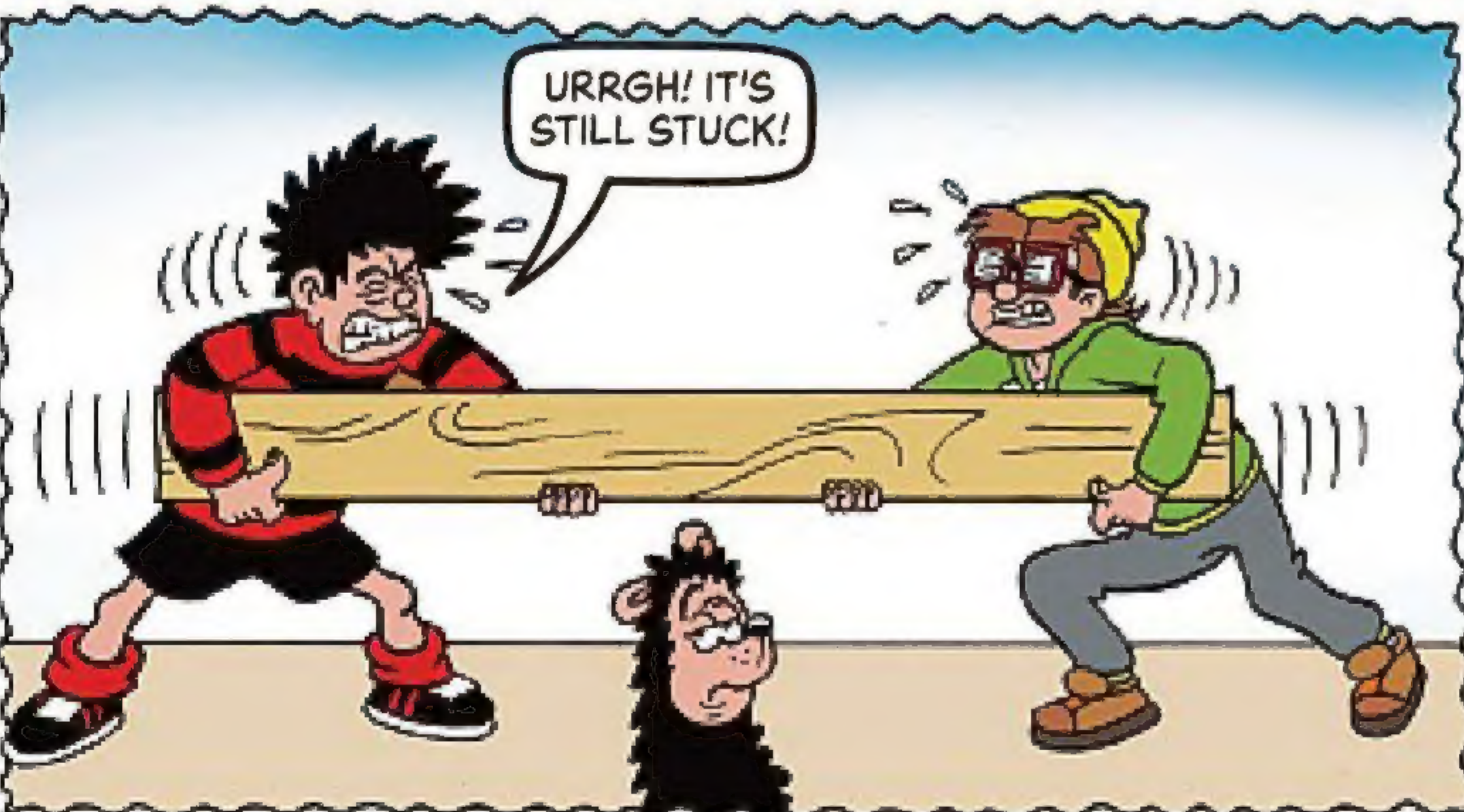
The answer to last week's question was a Colin!



# DENNIS & GNASHER

## UNLEASHED

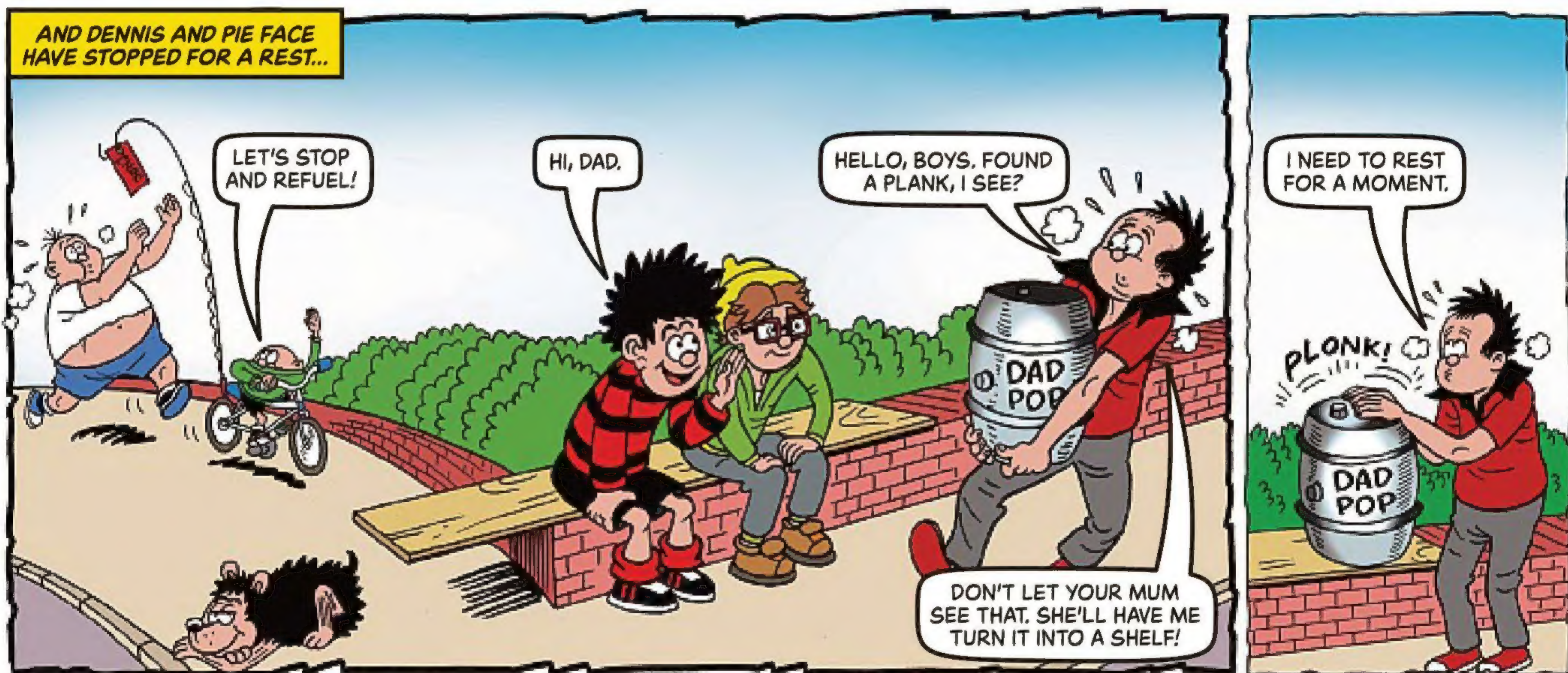
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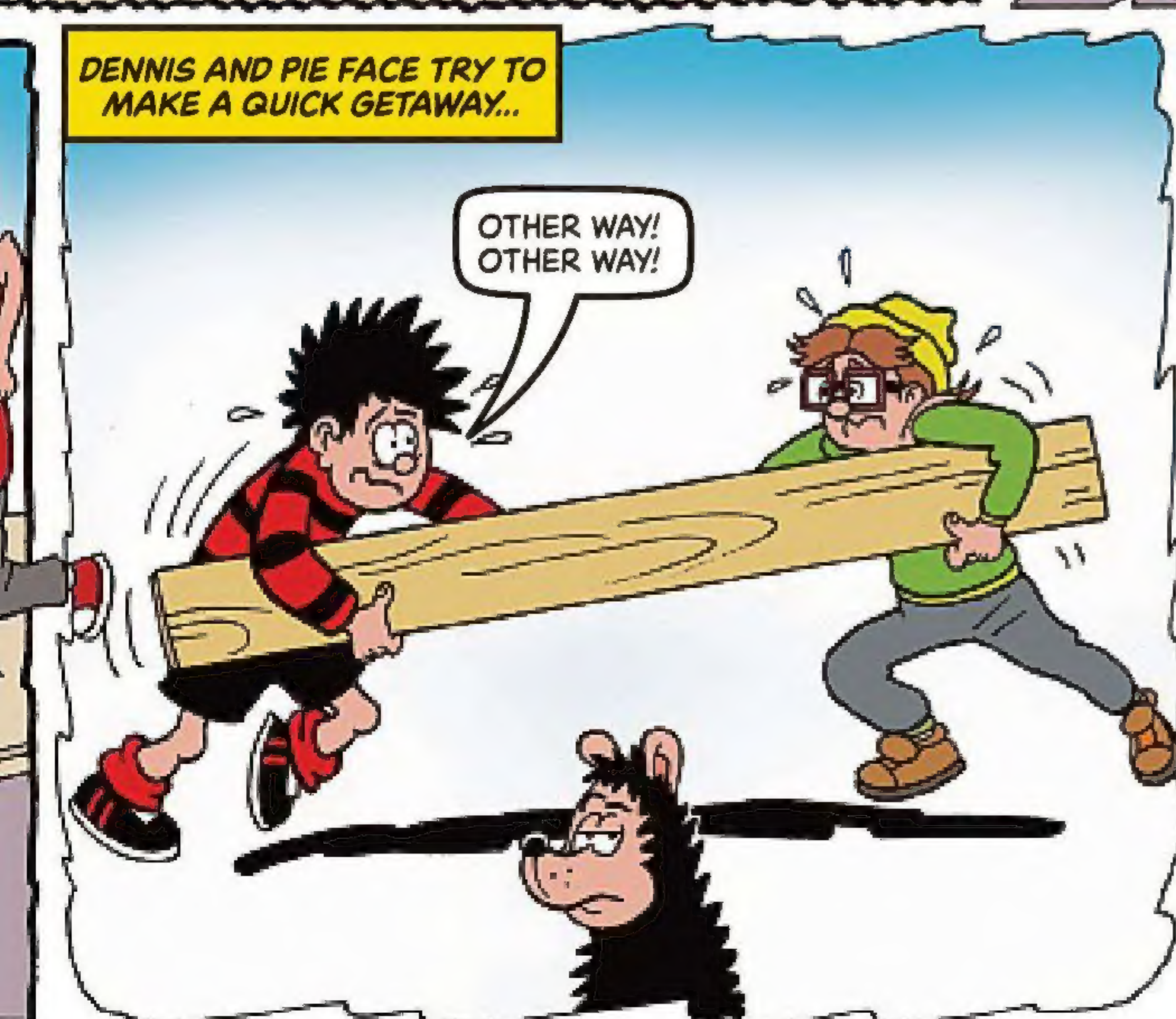
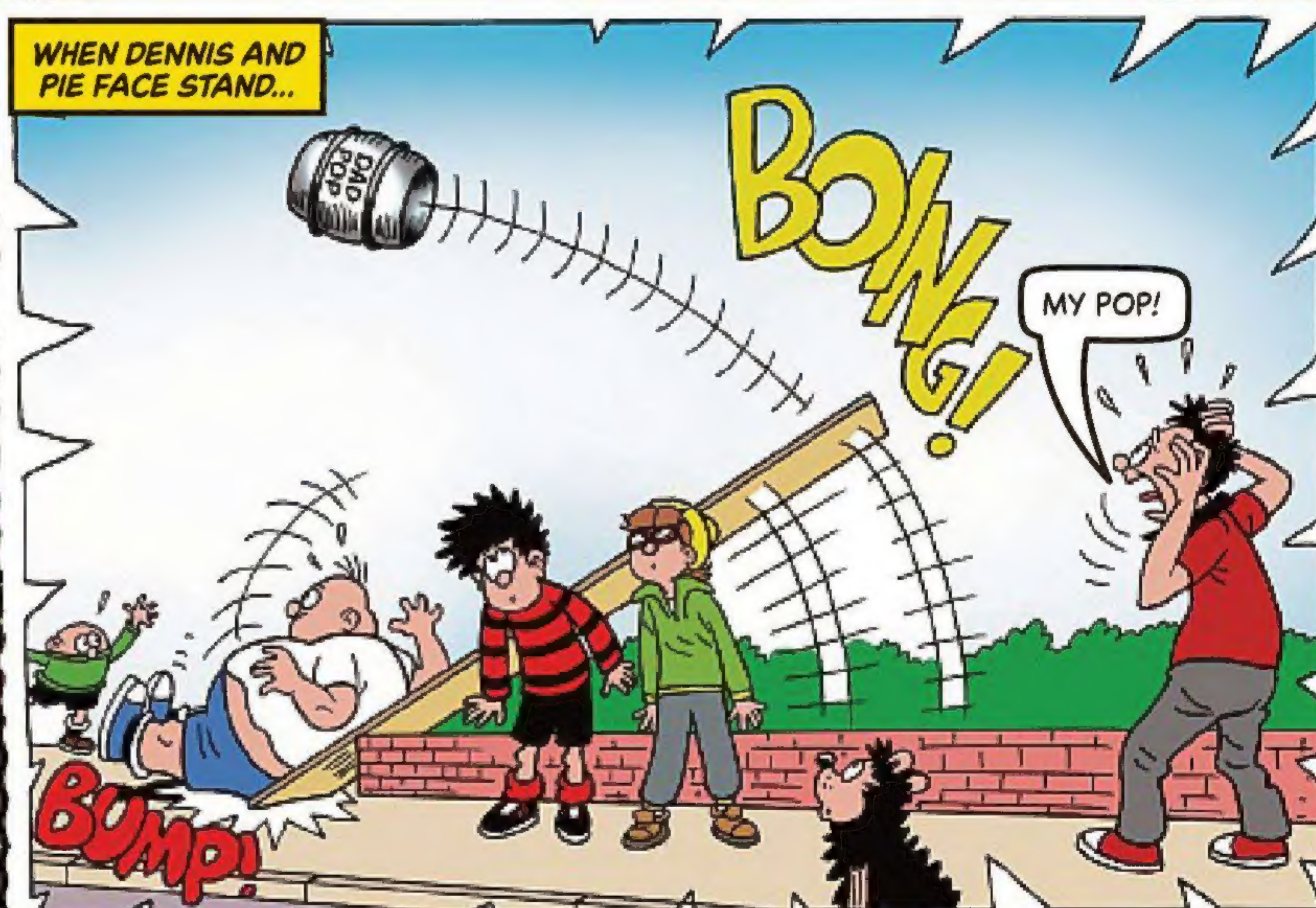
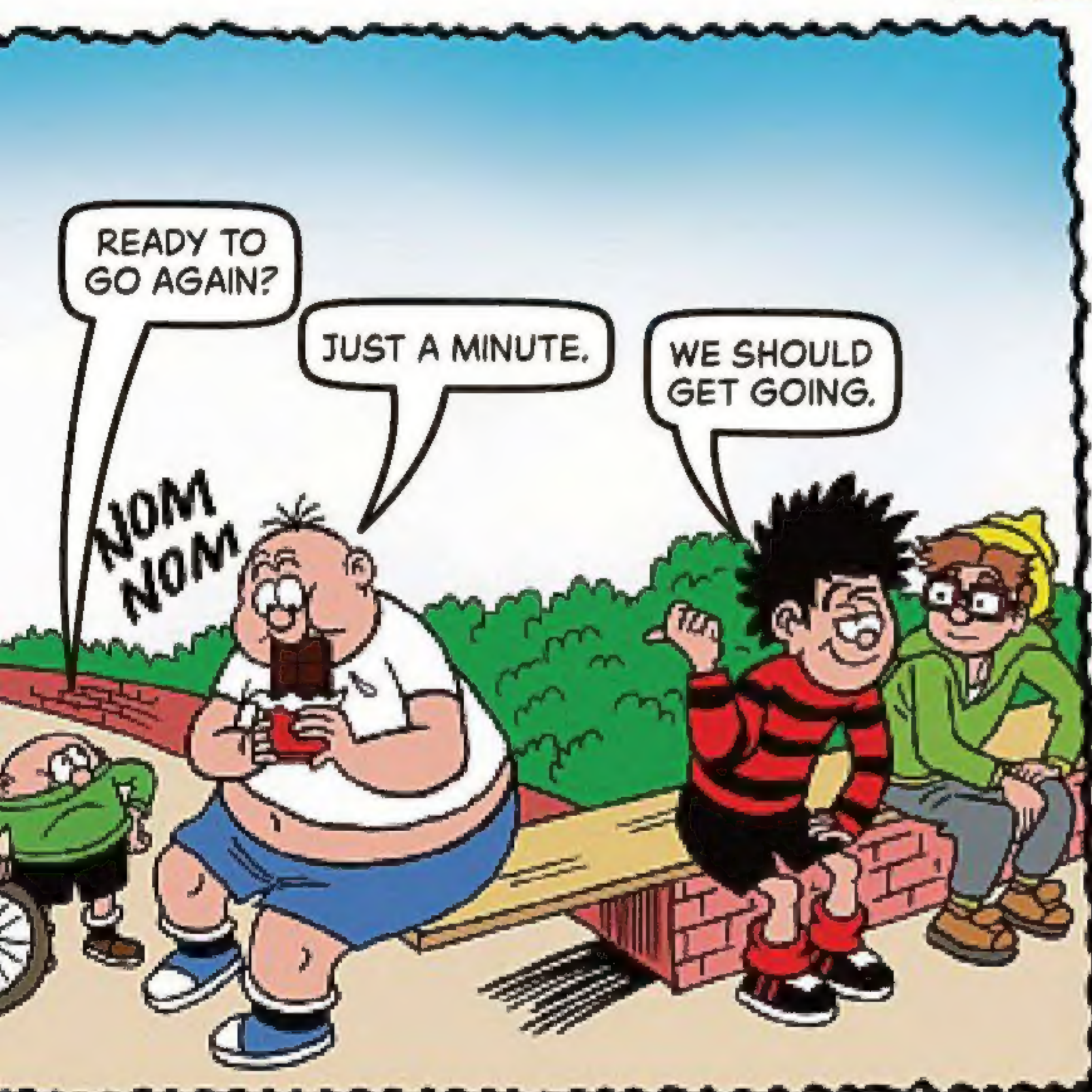
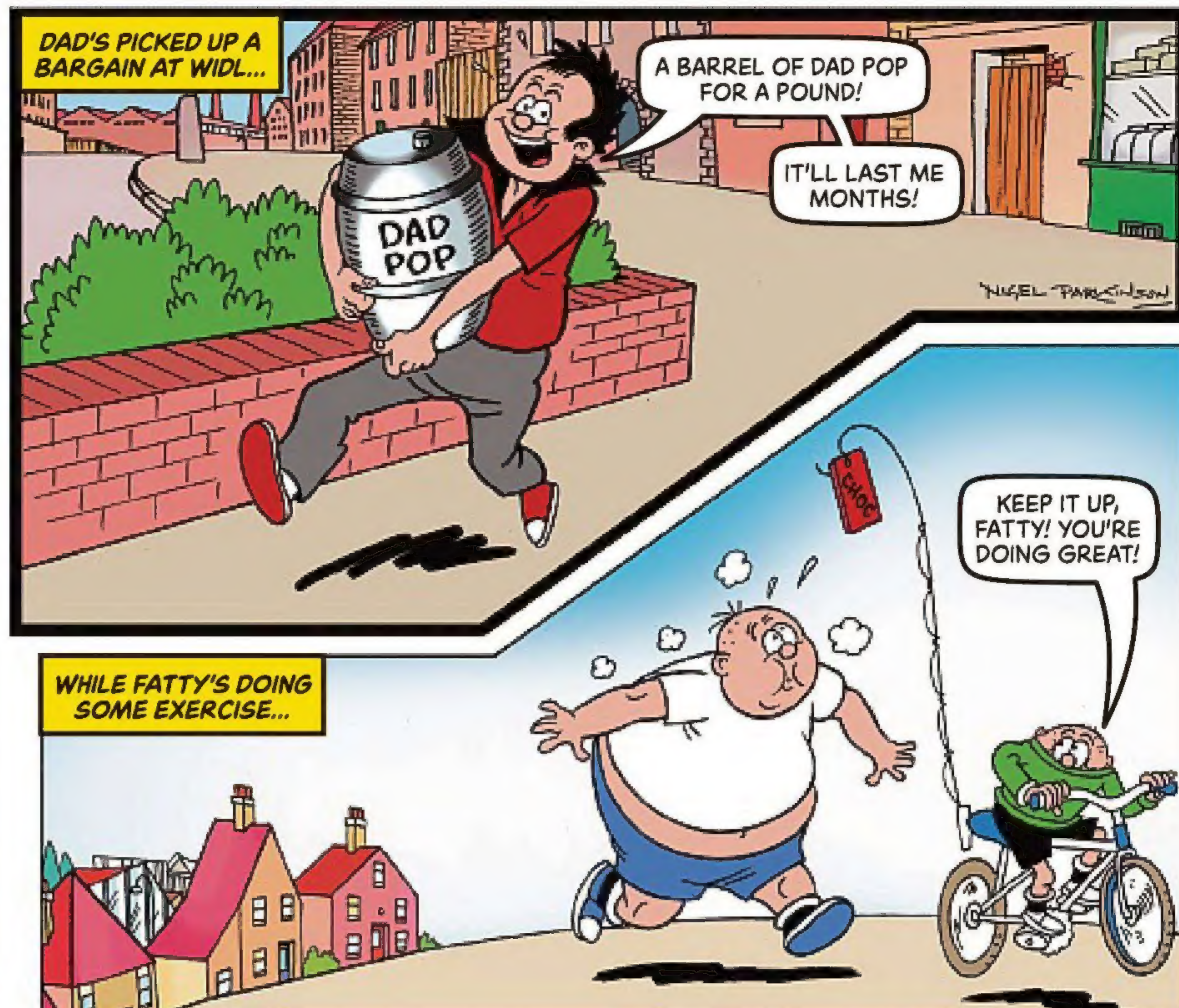




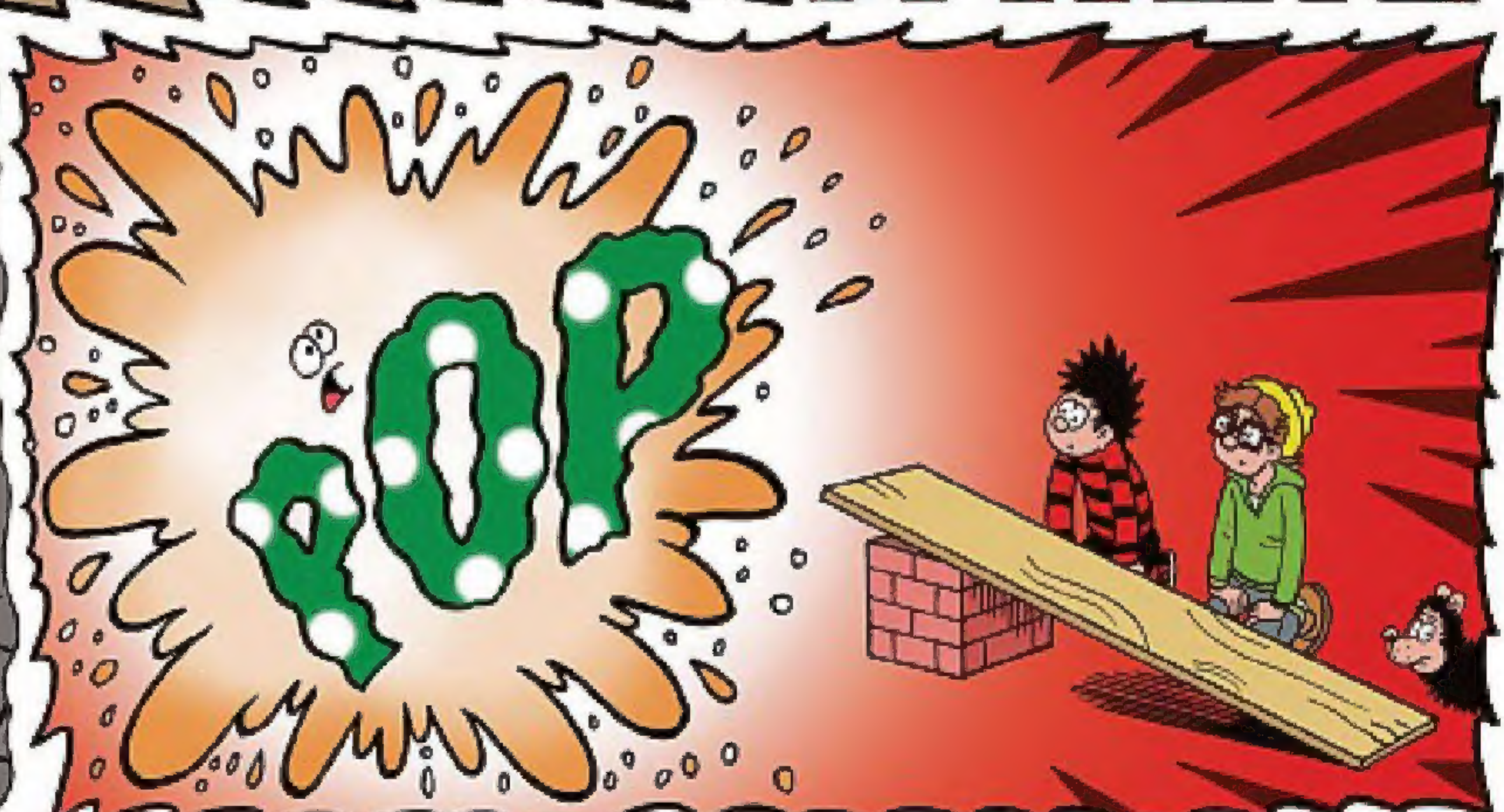
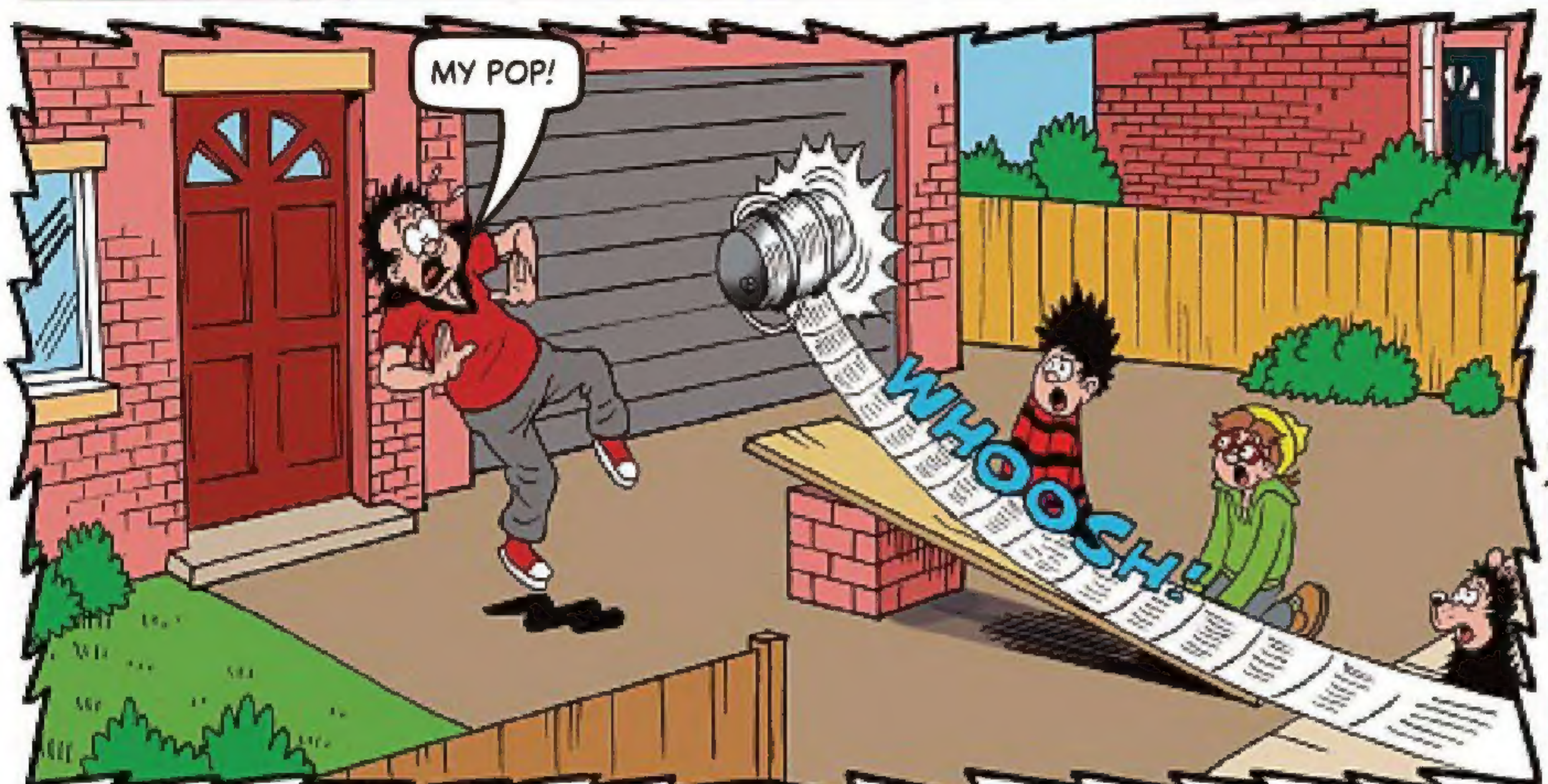
AND DENNIS AND PIE FACE  
HAVE STOPPED FOR A REST...











What do aunts put on cuts and bruises? **Auntie-septic!**



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# HAR HAR'S JOKE SHOP!

MEET BEANOTOWN'S FUNNIEST FAMILY!



WORDS: Ned Hartley ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



How do chickens know who's boss? They use a pecking order!





# HARSHA'S PRANK ACADEMY

No.8

YOU'LL HAVE A BALL PLAYING THIS TRICK!

You'll need:

■ A hairbrush ■ Googly eyes

1



Remove the hair that's collected on the hairbrush.

2



Scrunch it into a hairball.

3



Put two googly eyes on the hairball to make it look like a small furry animal.

4



Leave it somewhere for the person you want to prank to find.

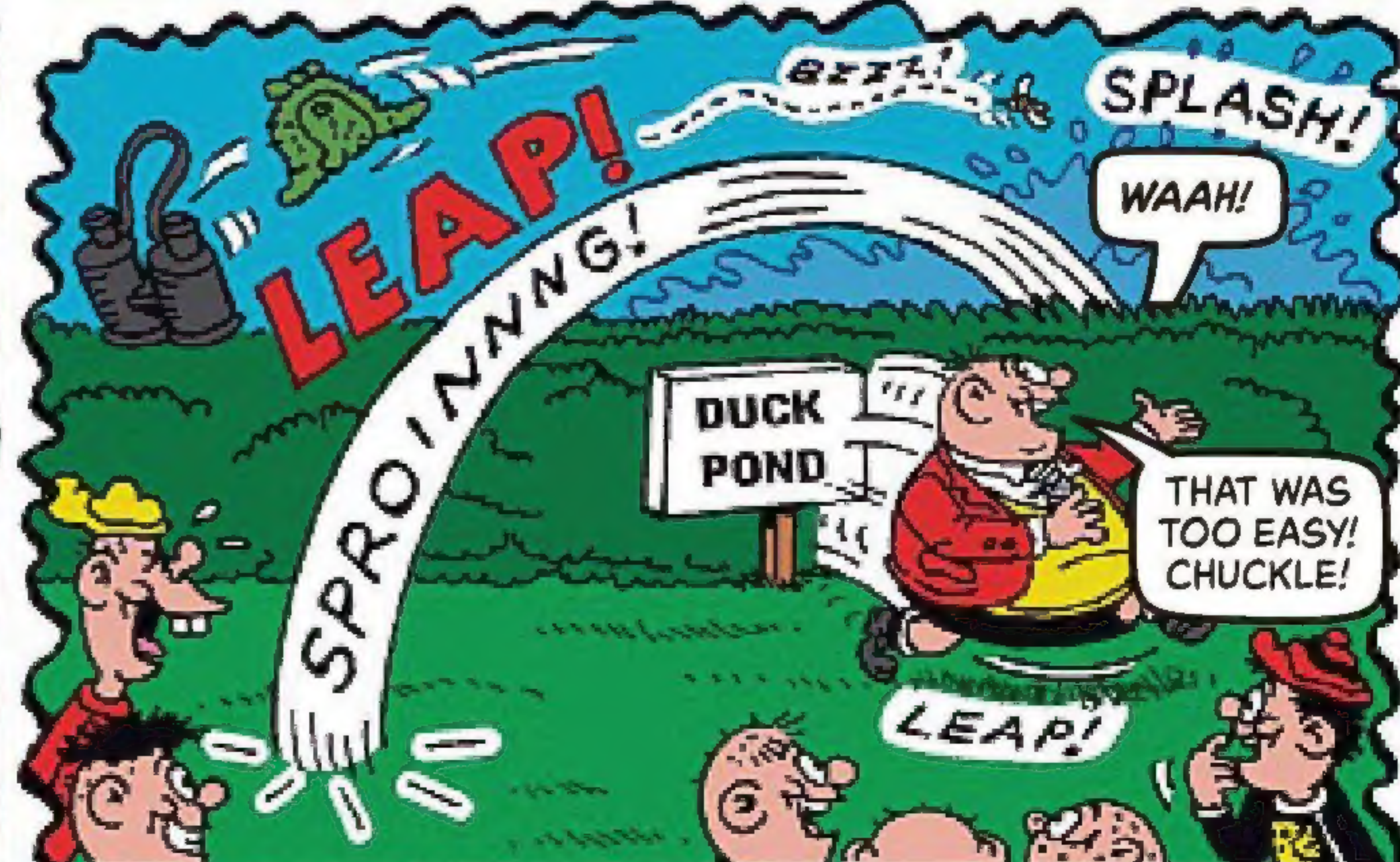
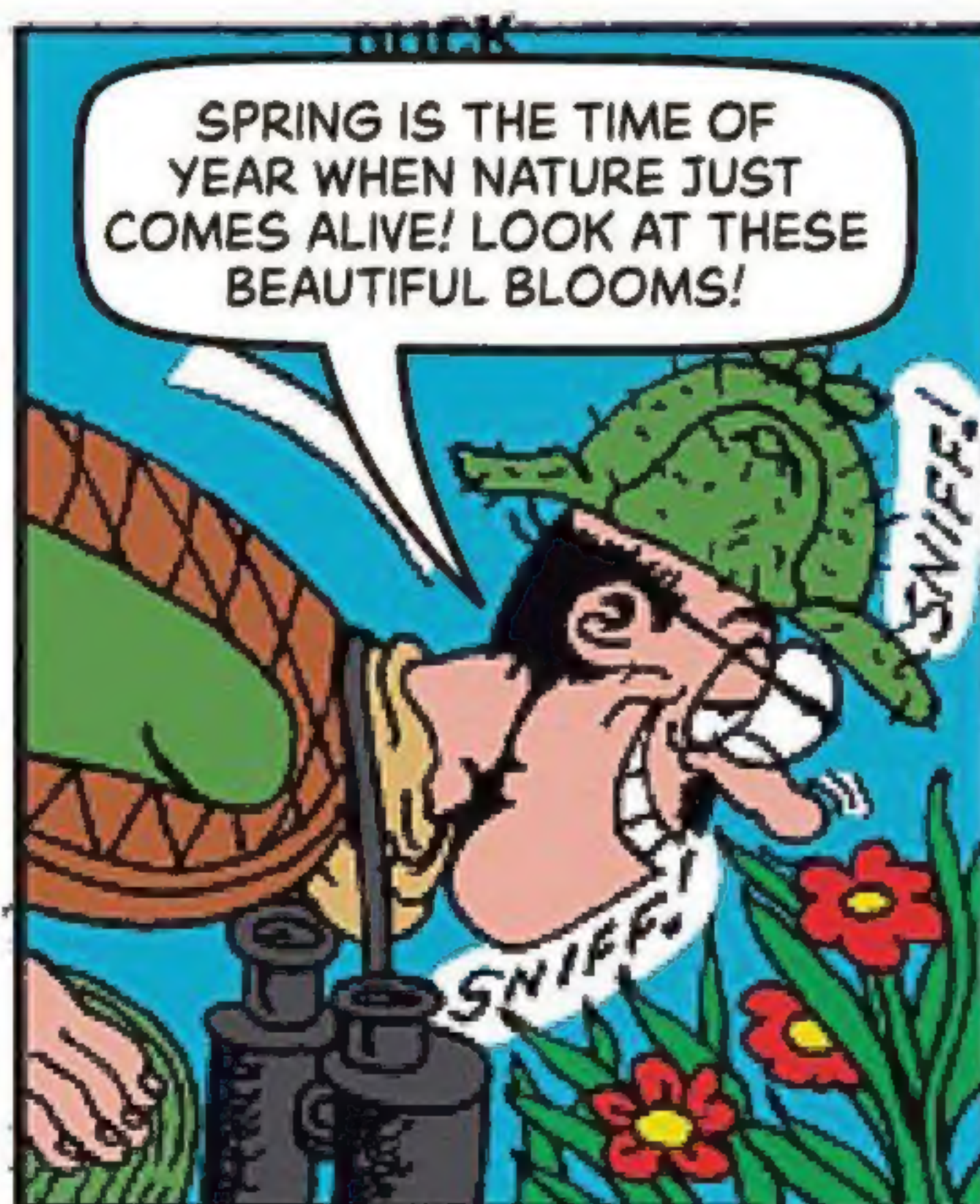
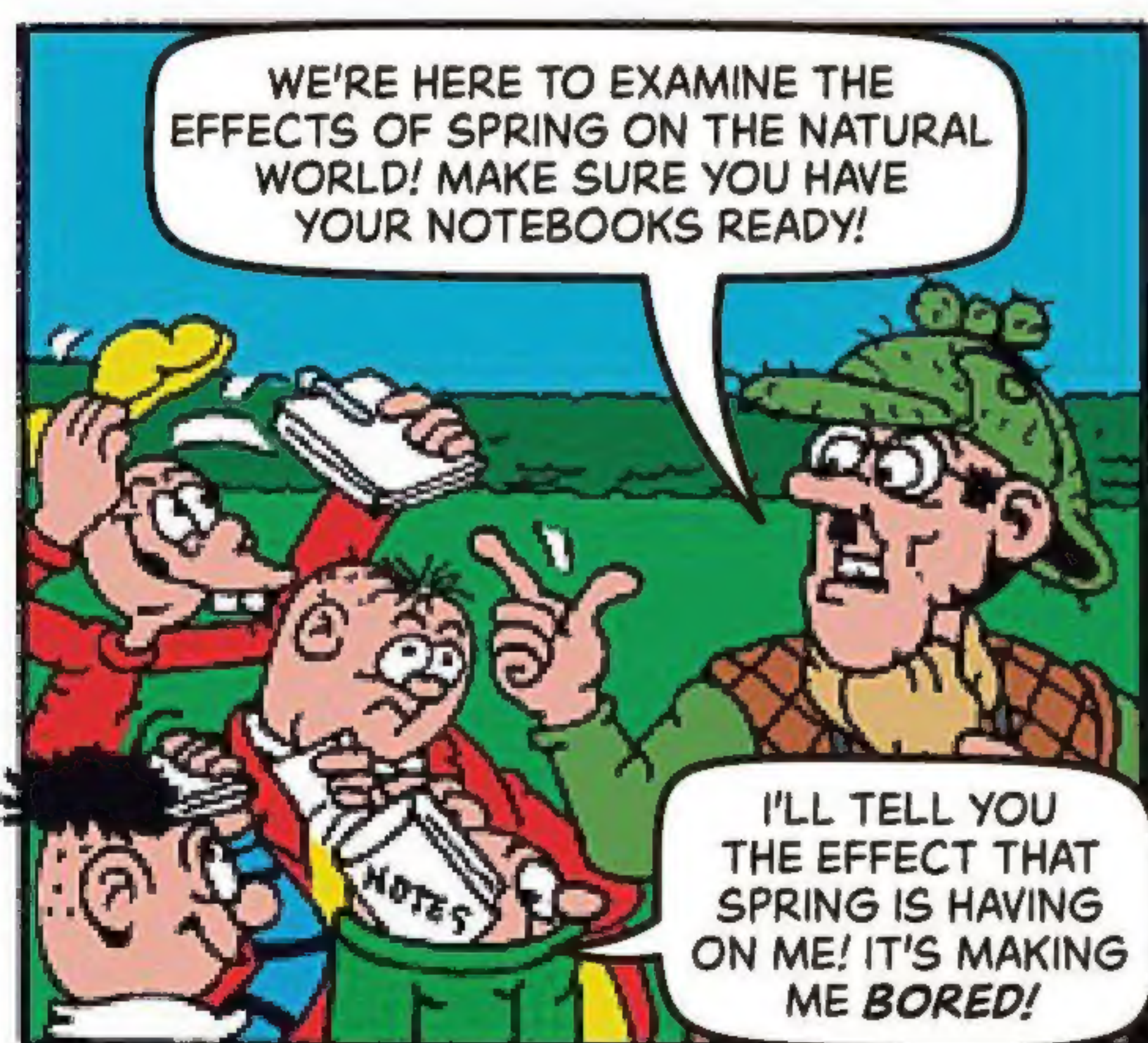
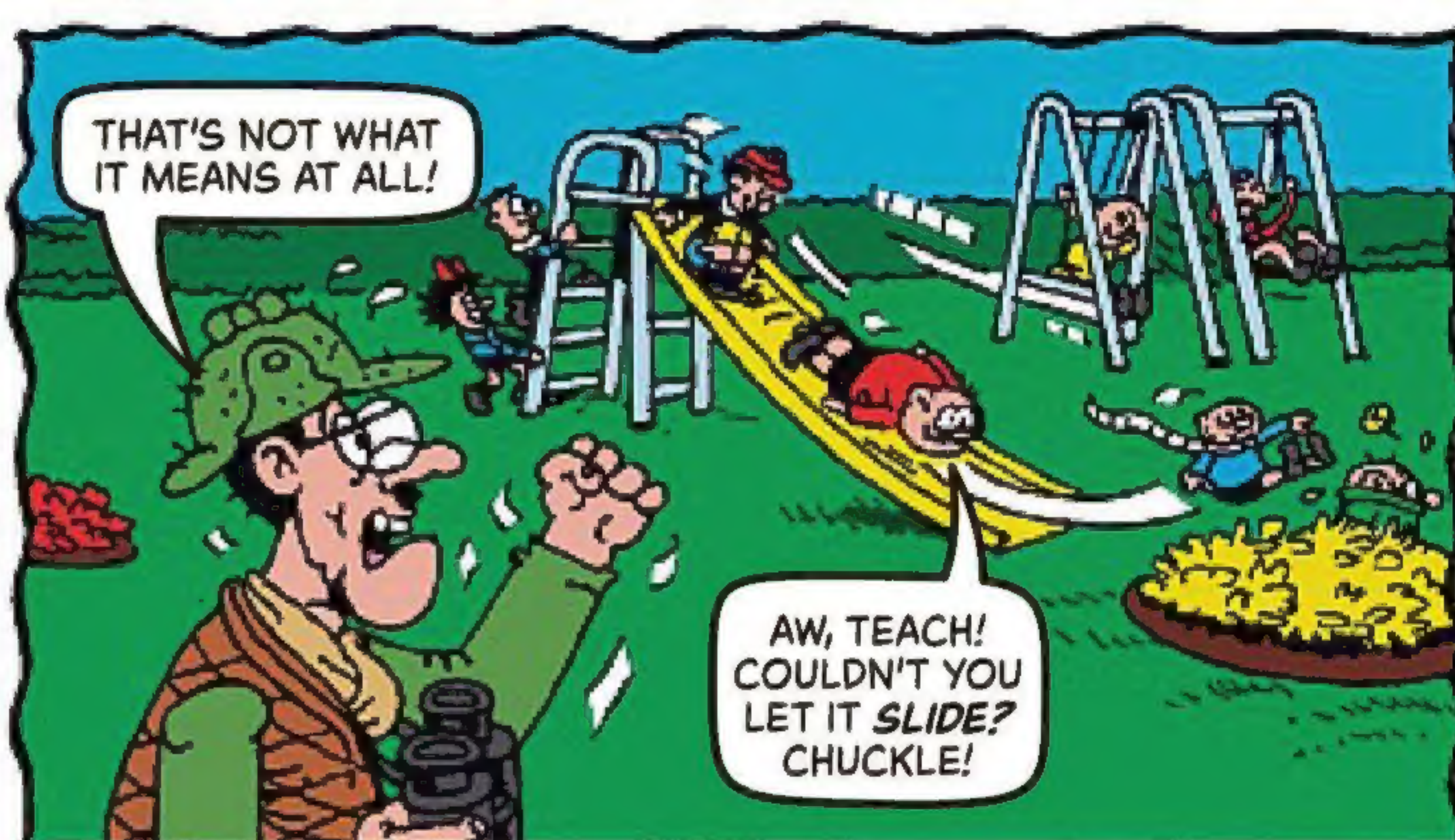
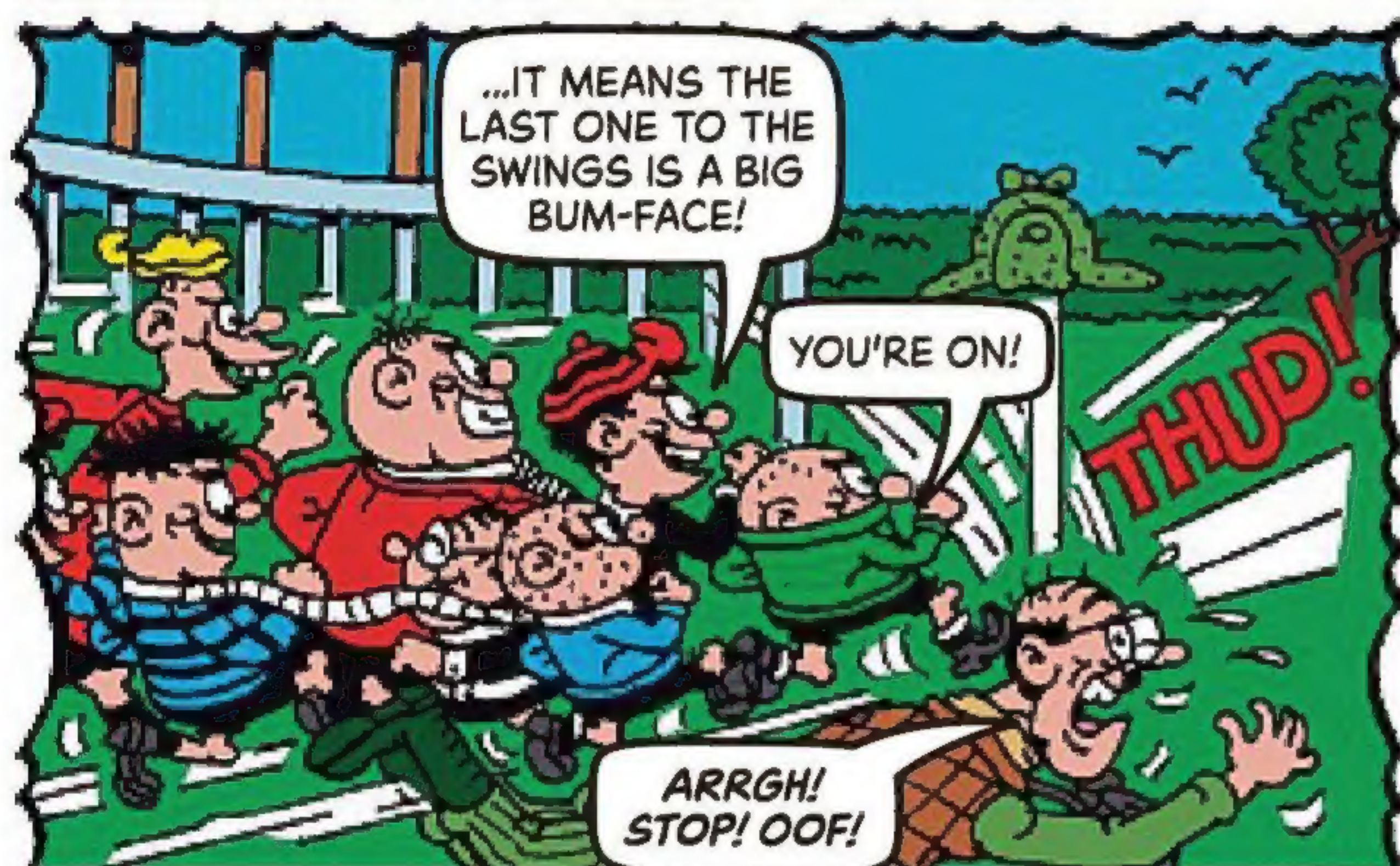
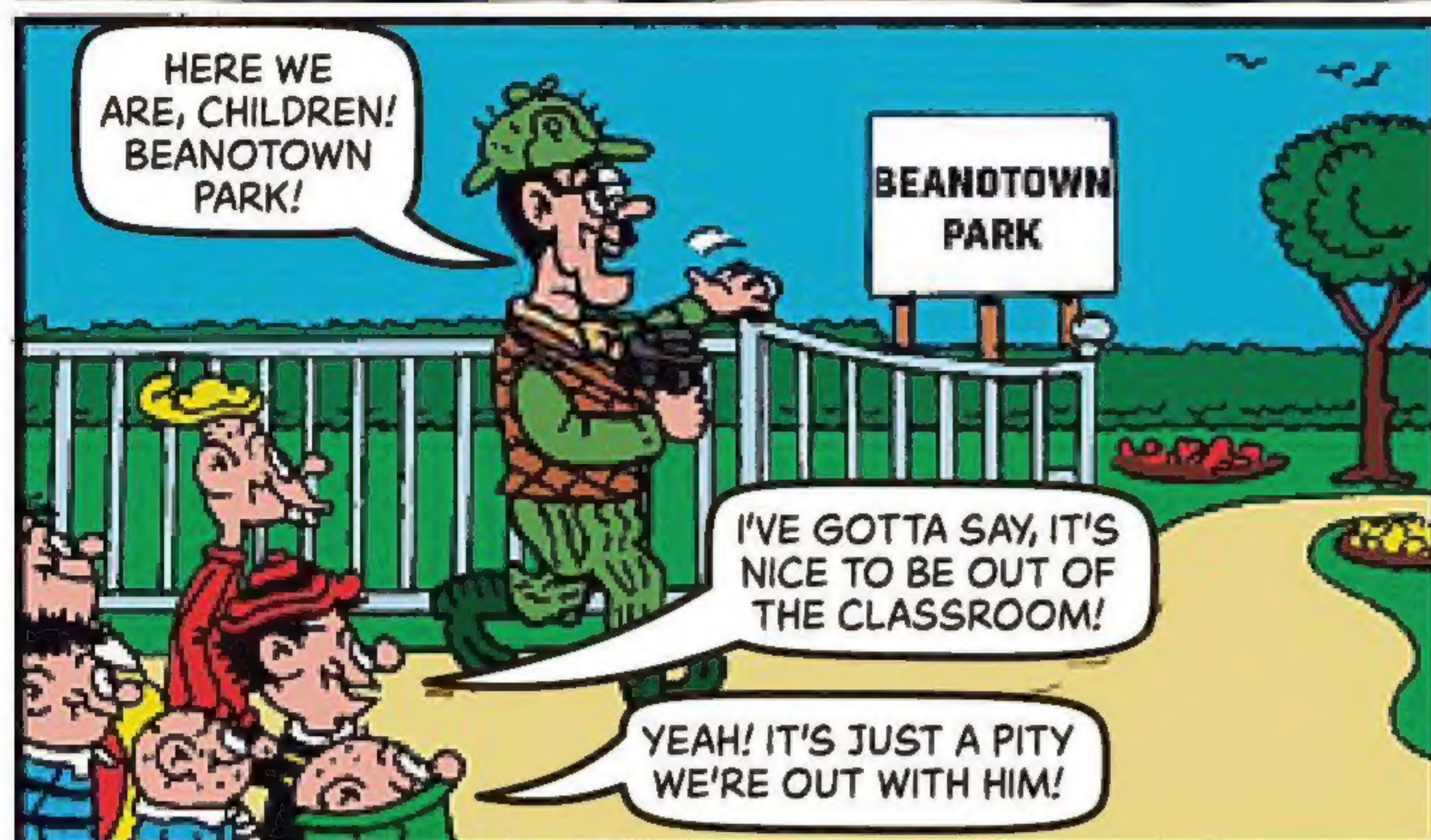
I'D LOVE TO USE THIS PRANK ON MY GRANDMA!



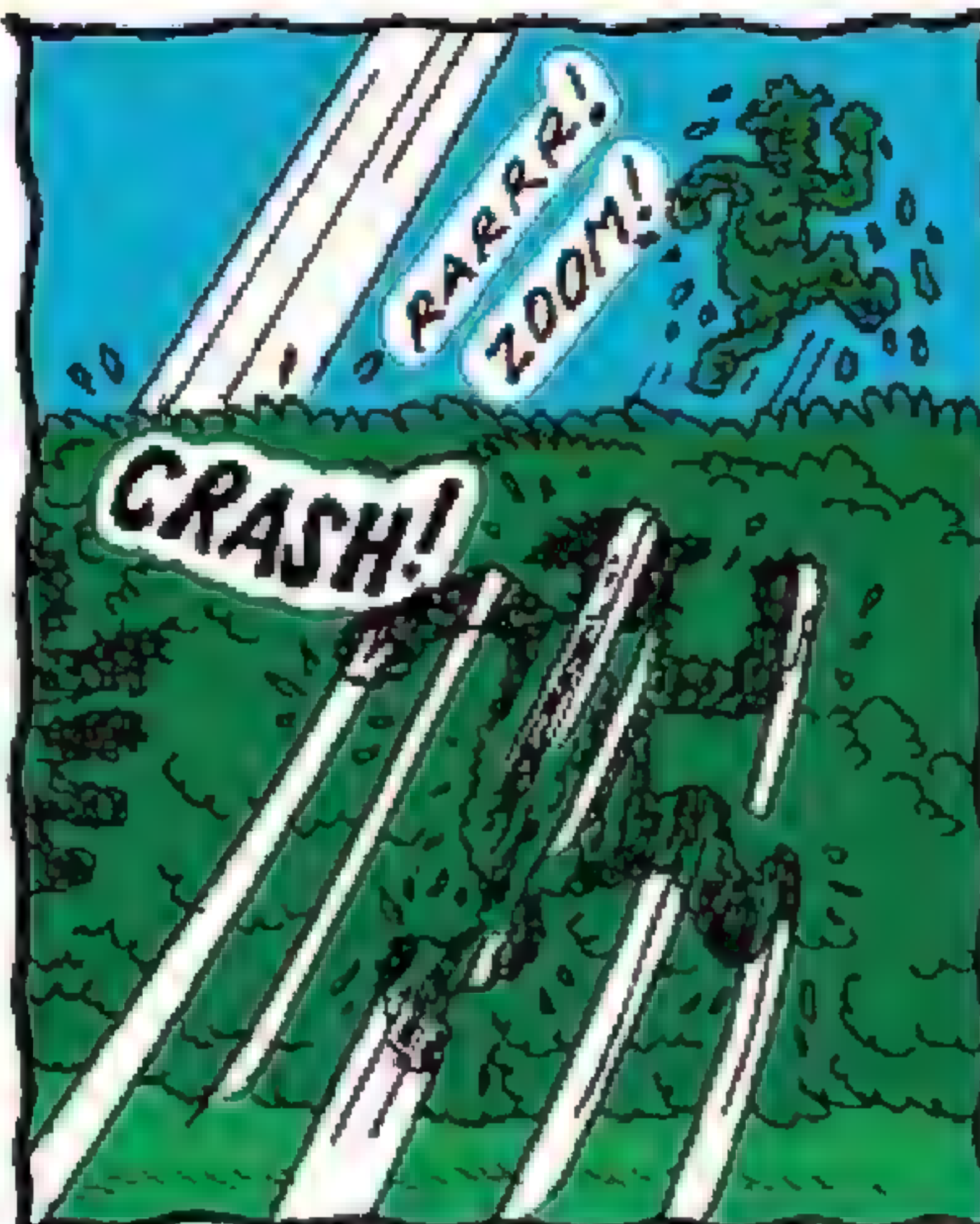
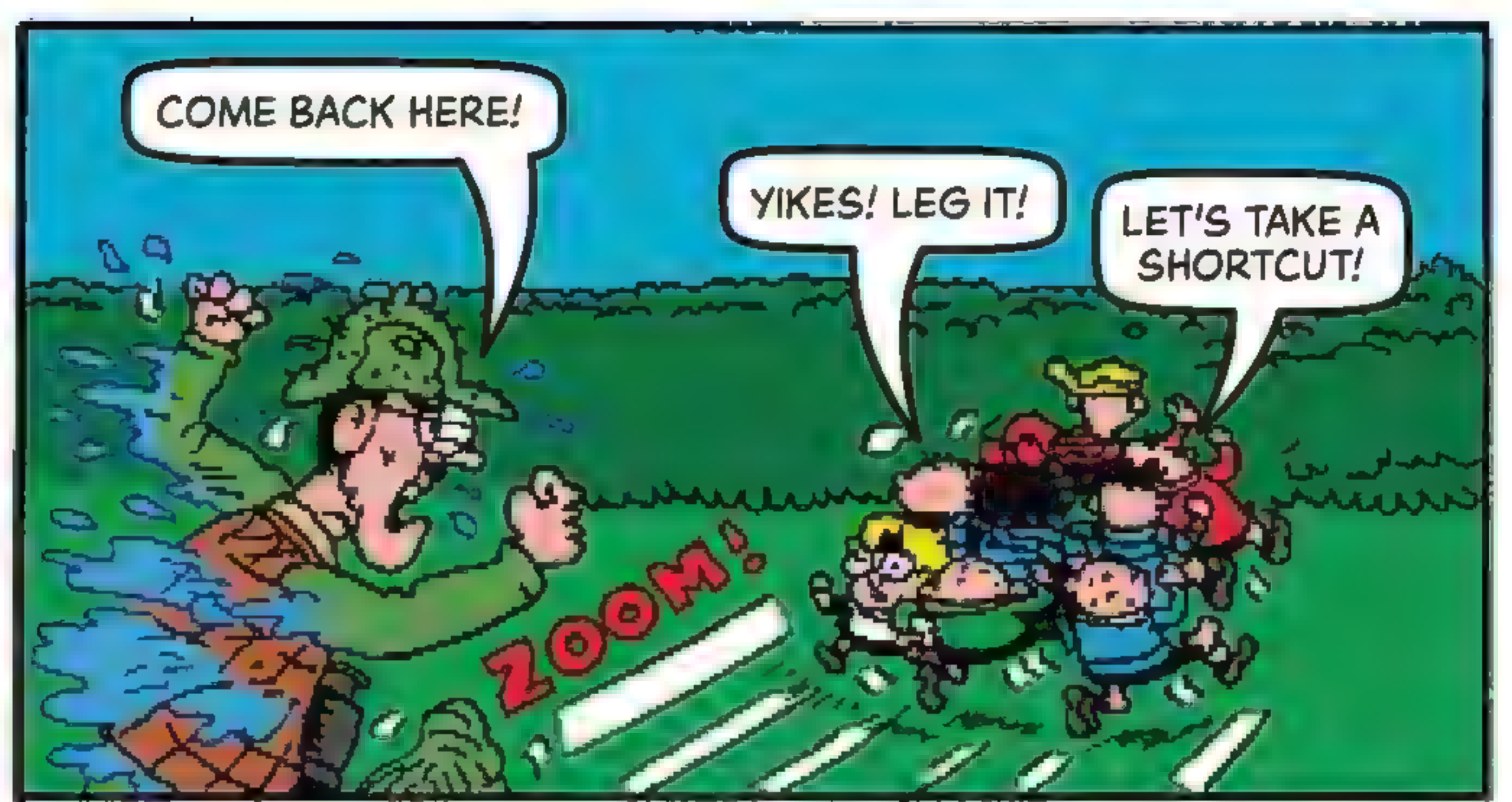


# THE BASH STREET KIDS

THE CLASS EVERY TEACHER DREAMS...







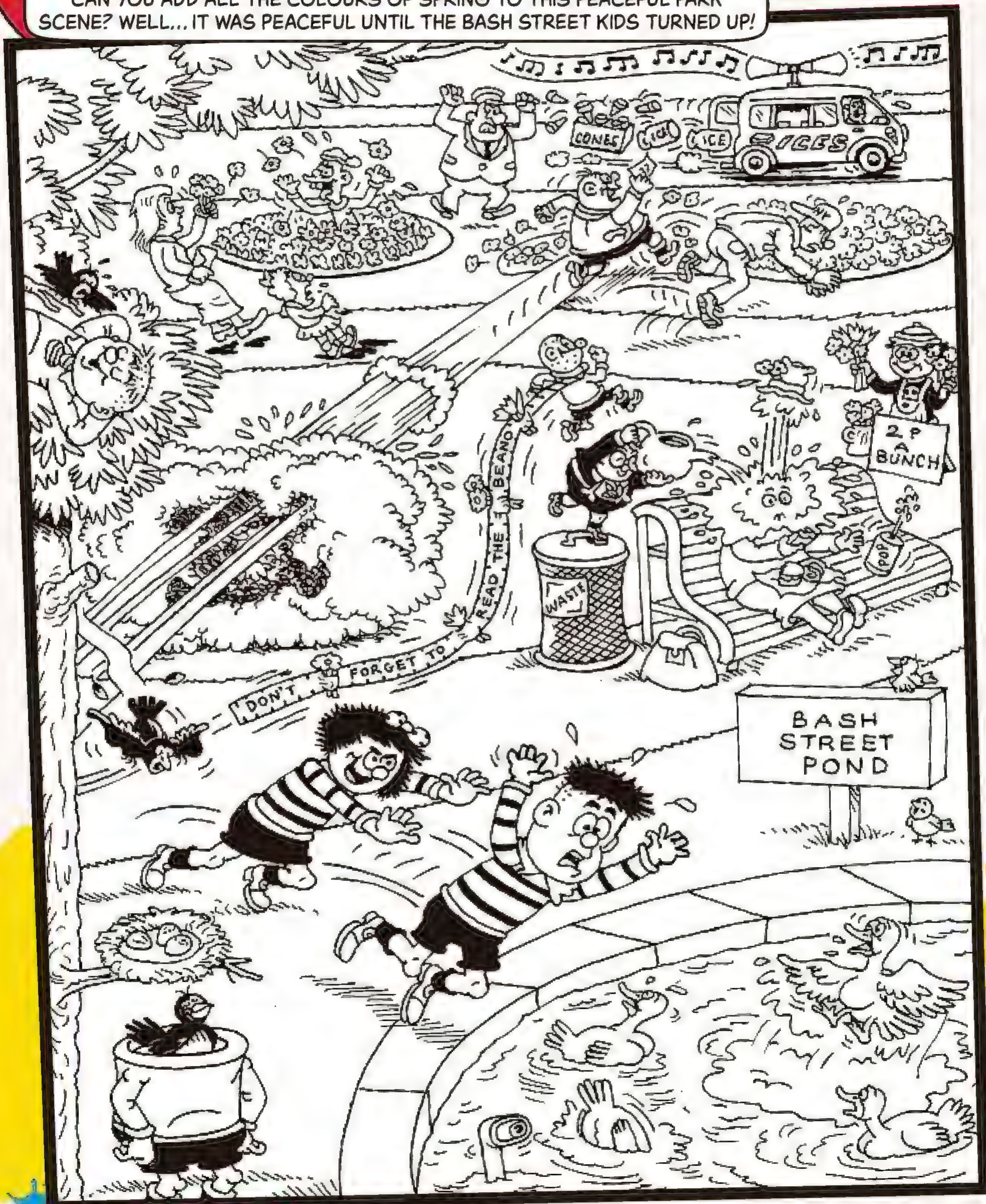
Do dolphins have accidents? No, they do everything on porpoise!



# MISS MISTRY'S

## ART CHALLENGE!

CAN YOU ADD ALL THE COLOURS OF SPRING TO THIS PEACEFUL PARK SCENE? WELL... IT WAS PEACEFUL UNTIL THE BASH STREET KIDS TURNED UP!

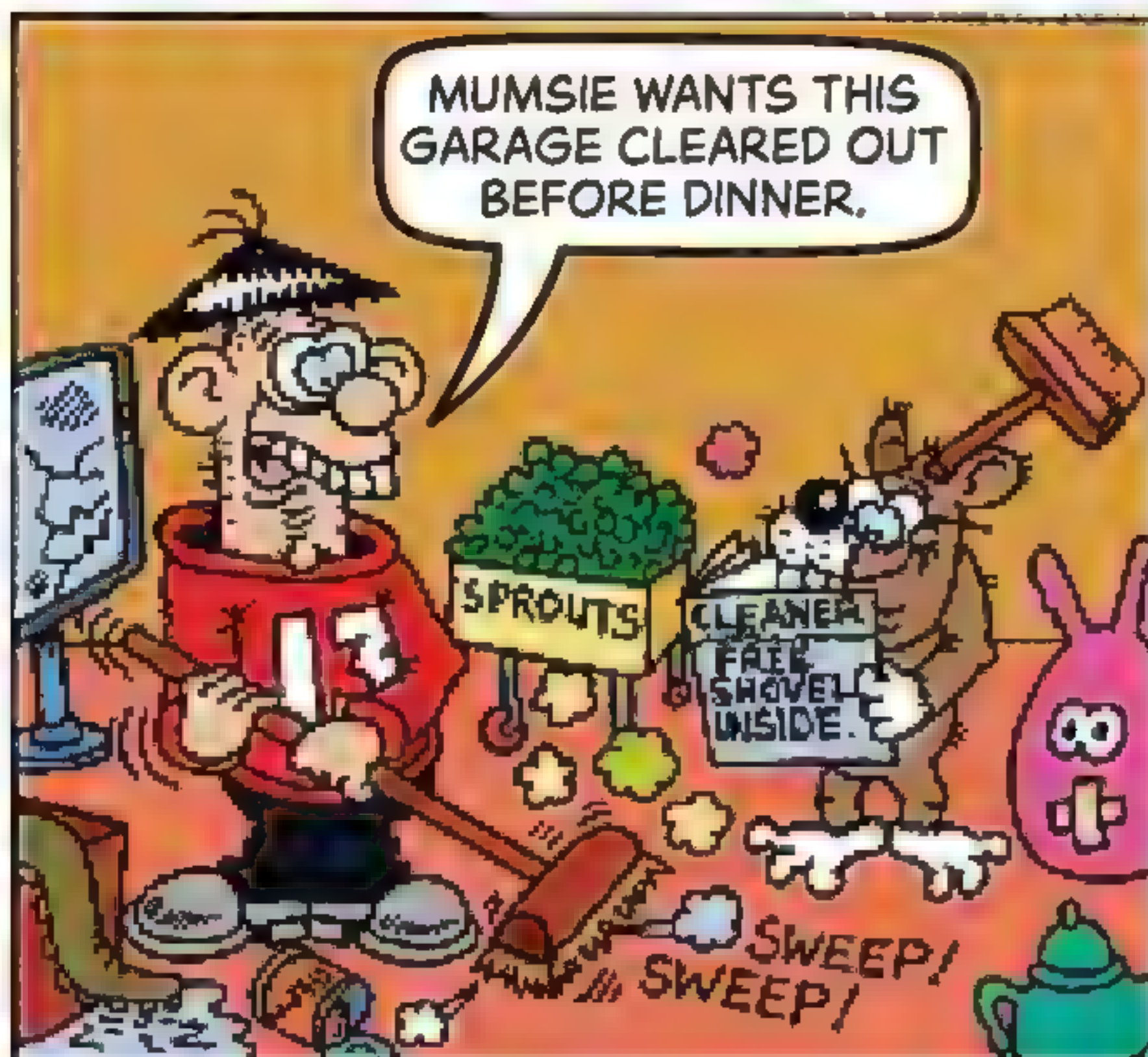




# CALAMITY JAMES



## THE UNLUCKIEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



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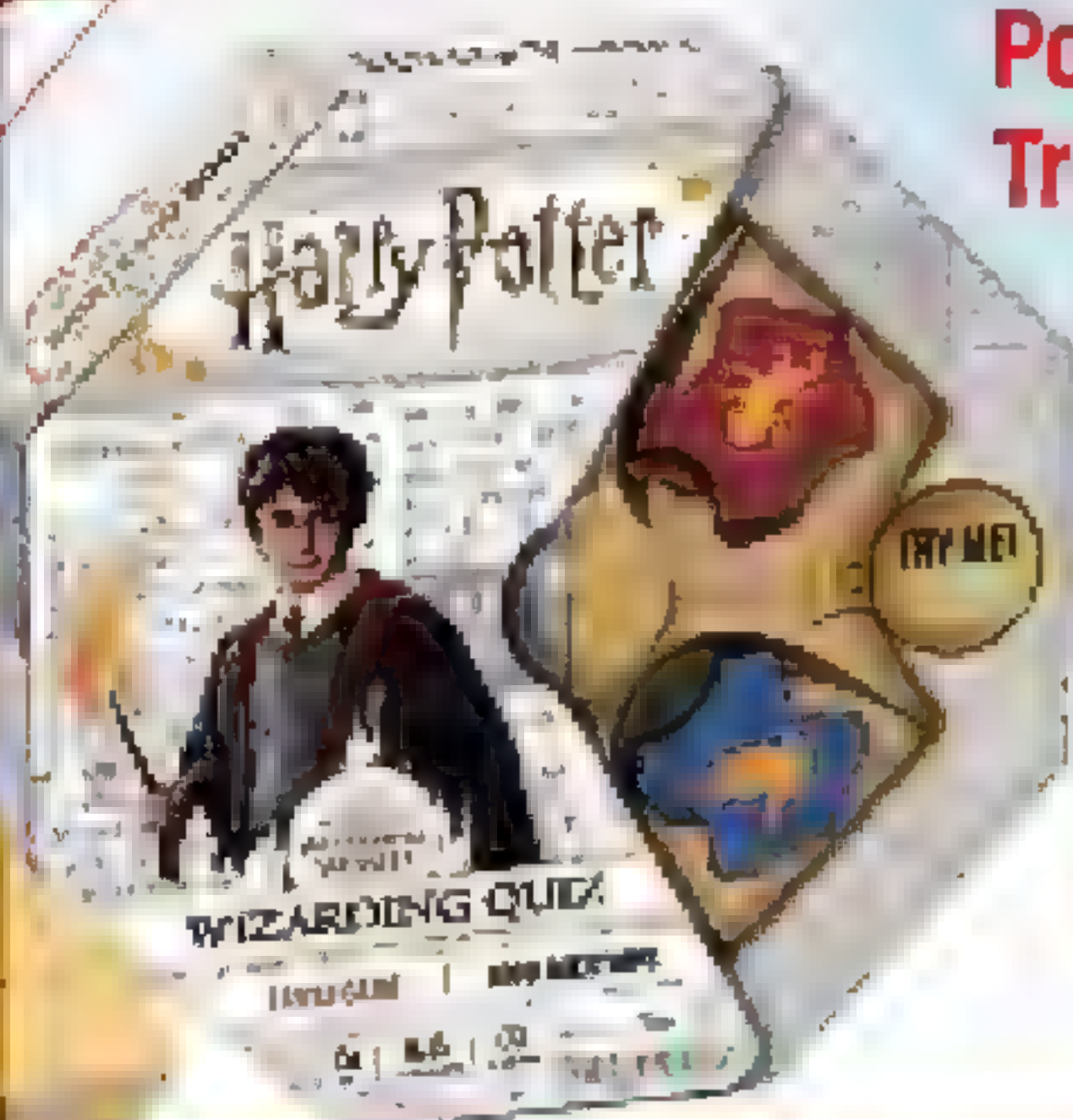
What do you call a woman born during a tornado? **Gail!**



**WIN!**

# Harry Potter

Are you potty about Potter? Earn points for your house by answering questions from the quizmaster to compete for the House Cup! We have **10 Harry Potter WIZARDING QUIZ Trivia Games** from TOMY to be won!



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**WHICH HOUSE IS MALFOY IN?**

**A RAVENCLAW B SLYTHERIN C HUFFLEPUFF**

**WIN!**

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To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

**WHAT TYPE OF POKÉMON IS CHARMANDER?**

**A FIRE B WATER C ICE**

**WIN!**  
**ALL THIS...**

# LOOT



**WIN!**

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**WHICH DOCTOR INVENTED SUPERTHINGS POWER MACHINES?**

**A VOLT  
B JOLT  
C BOLT**

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# BETTY AND THE YETI!!

THE ORDINARY GIRL WITH THE EXTRAORDINARY BEST FRIEND!

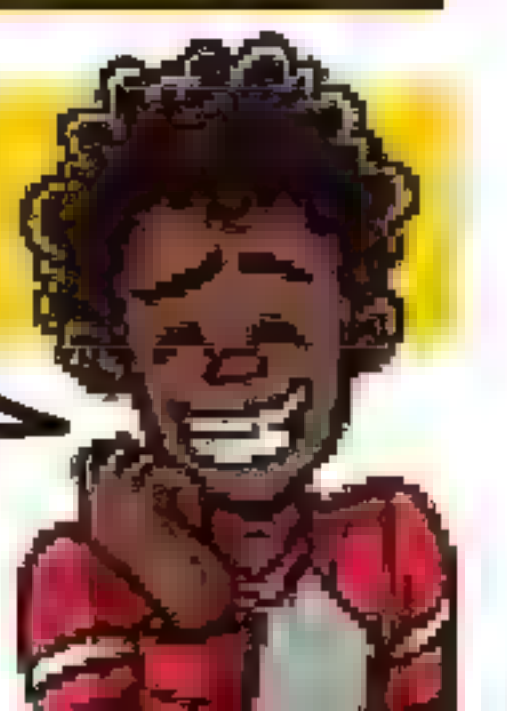


WORDS & ART: Hugh Raine



What animal goes 'Oooo'? A cow without lips!

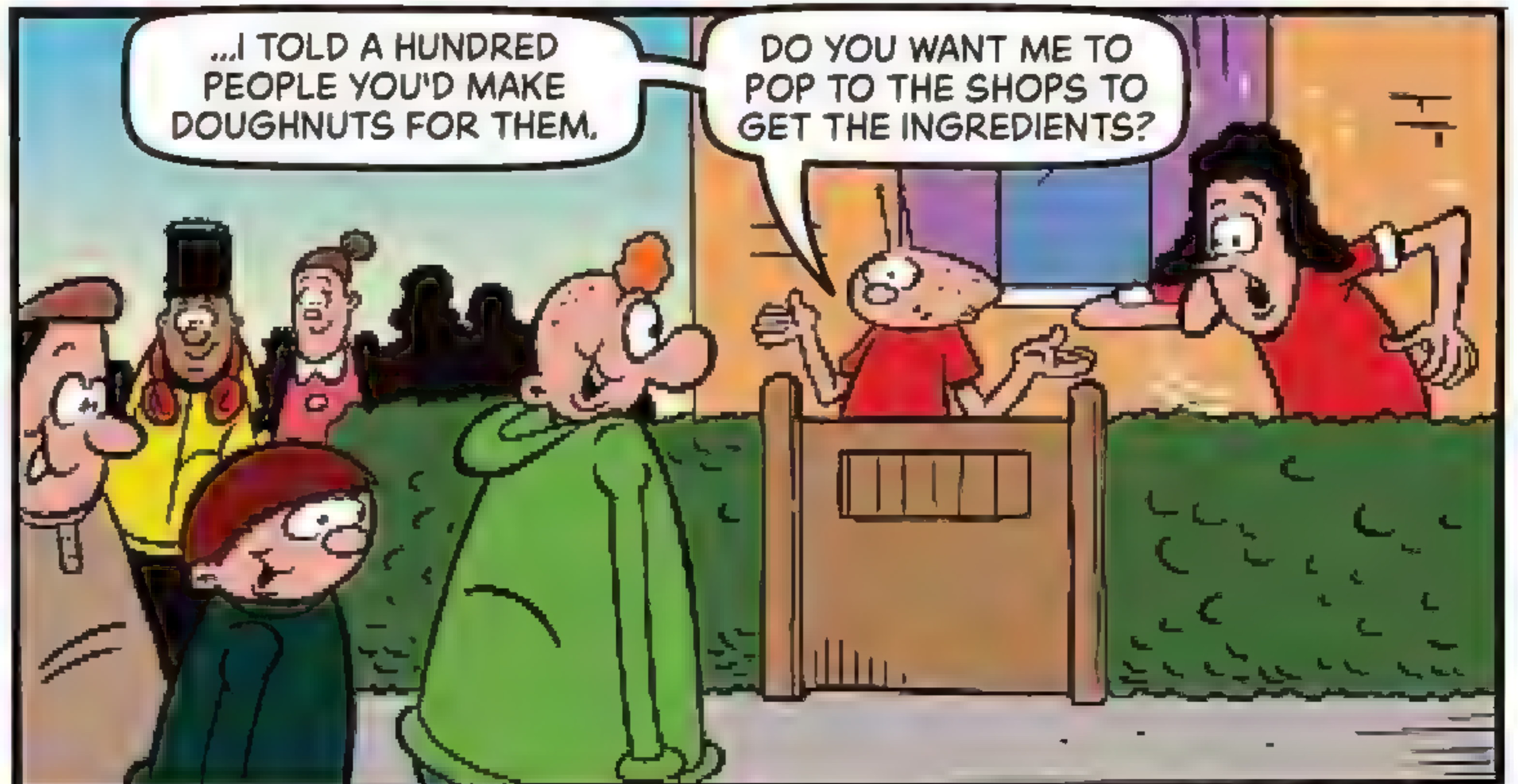
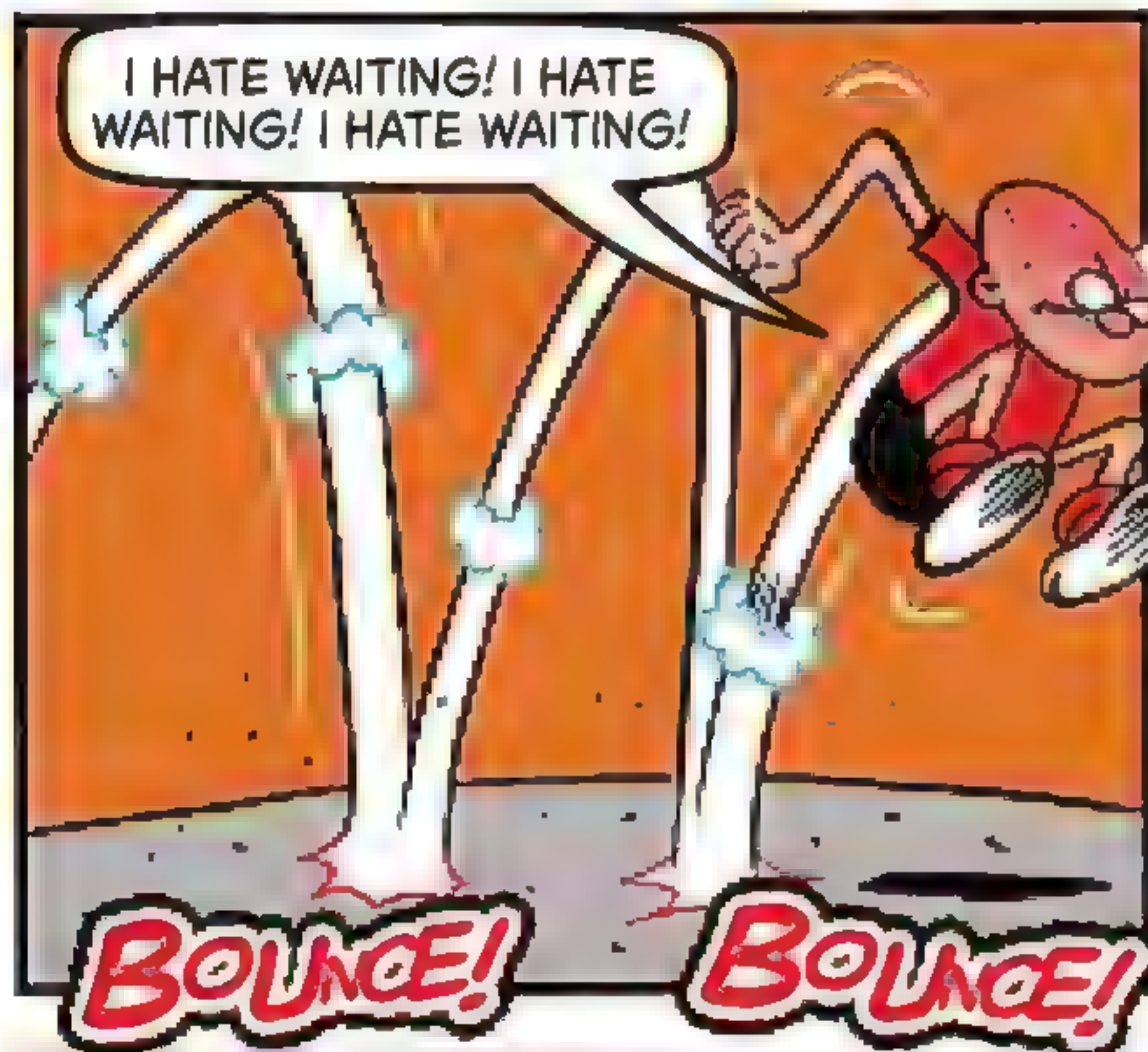
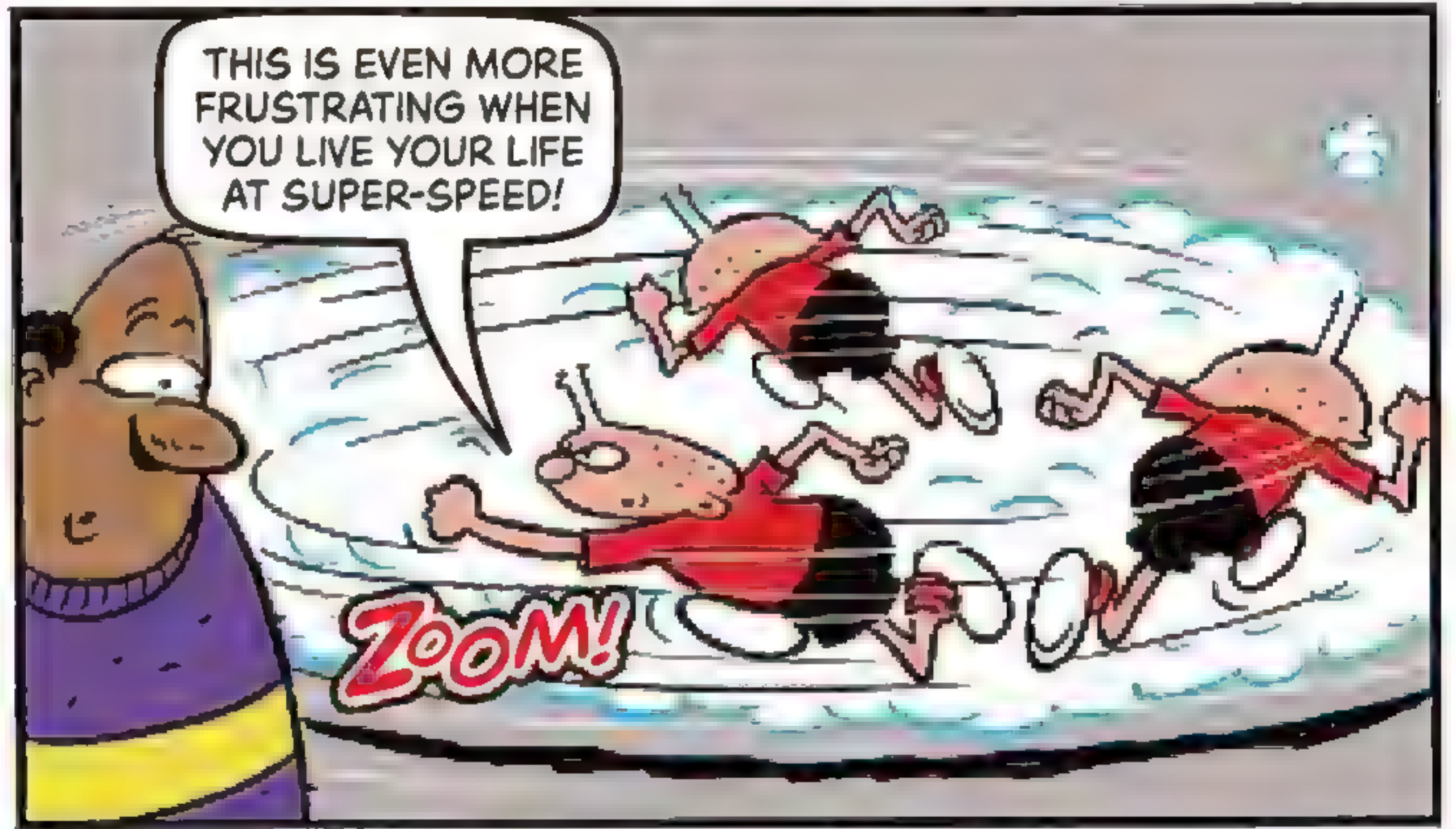
IT'S FUNNY TO THINK ABOUT A COW WITHOUT LIPS!





# BILLY WHIZZ

THE FASTEST BOY IN THE WORLD!

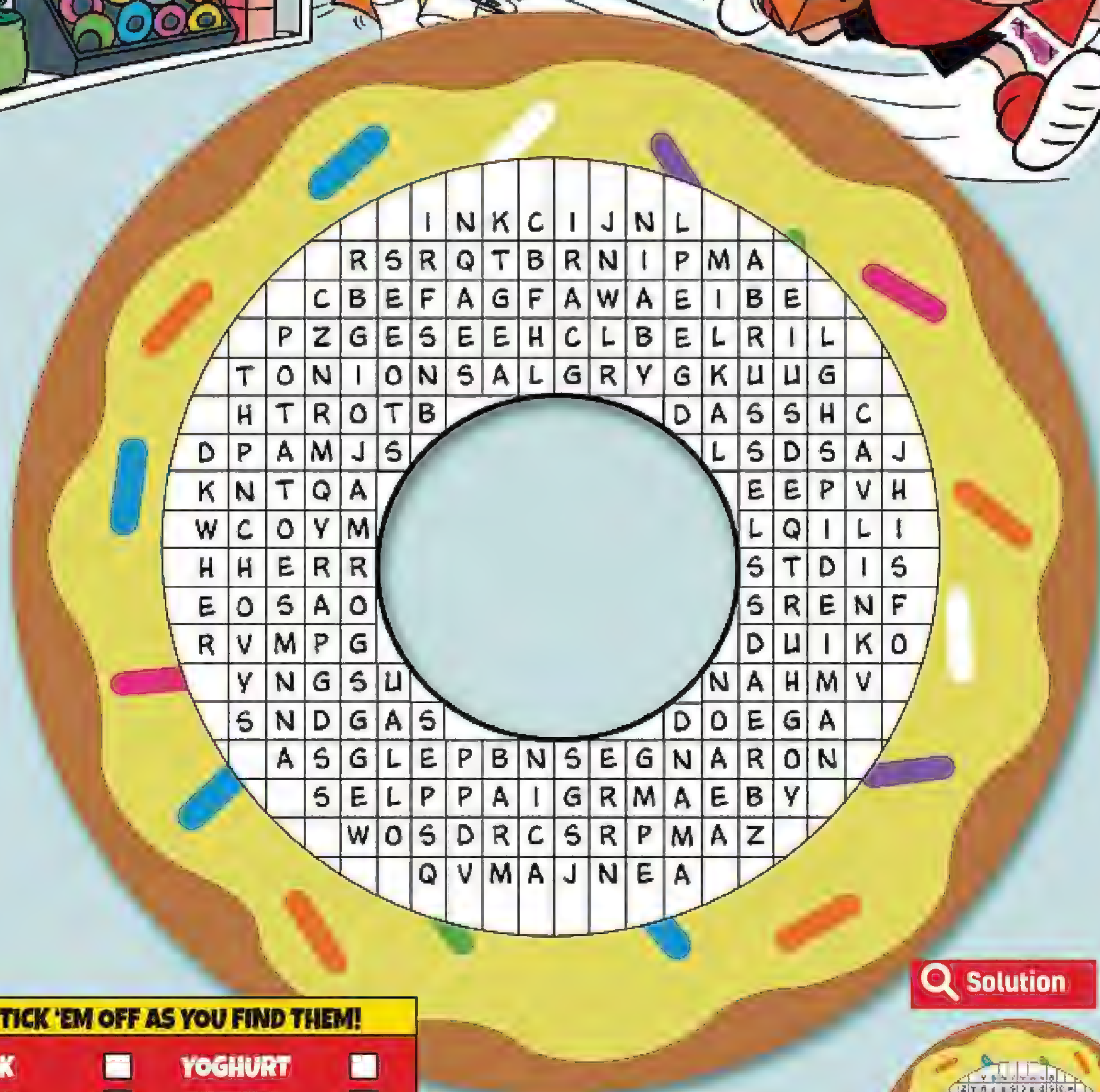




# DOUGH-NOT FORGET ANYTHING!

Help Billy get everything on his list from WIDL by finding them in this wordsearch!

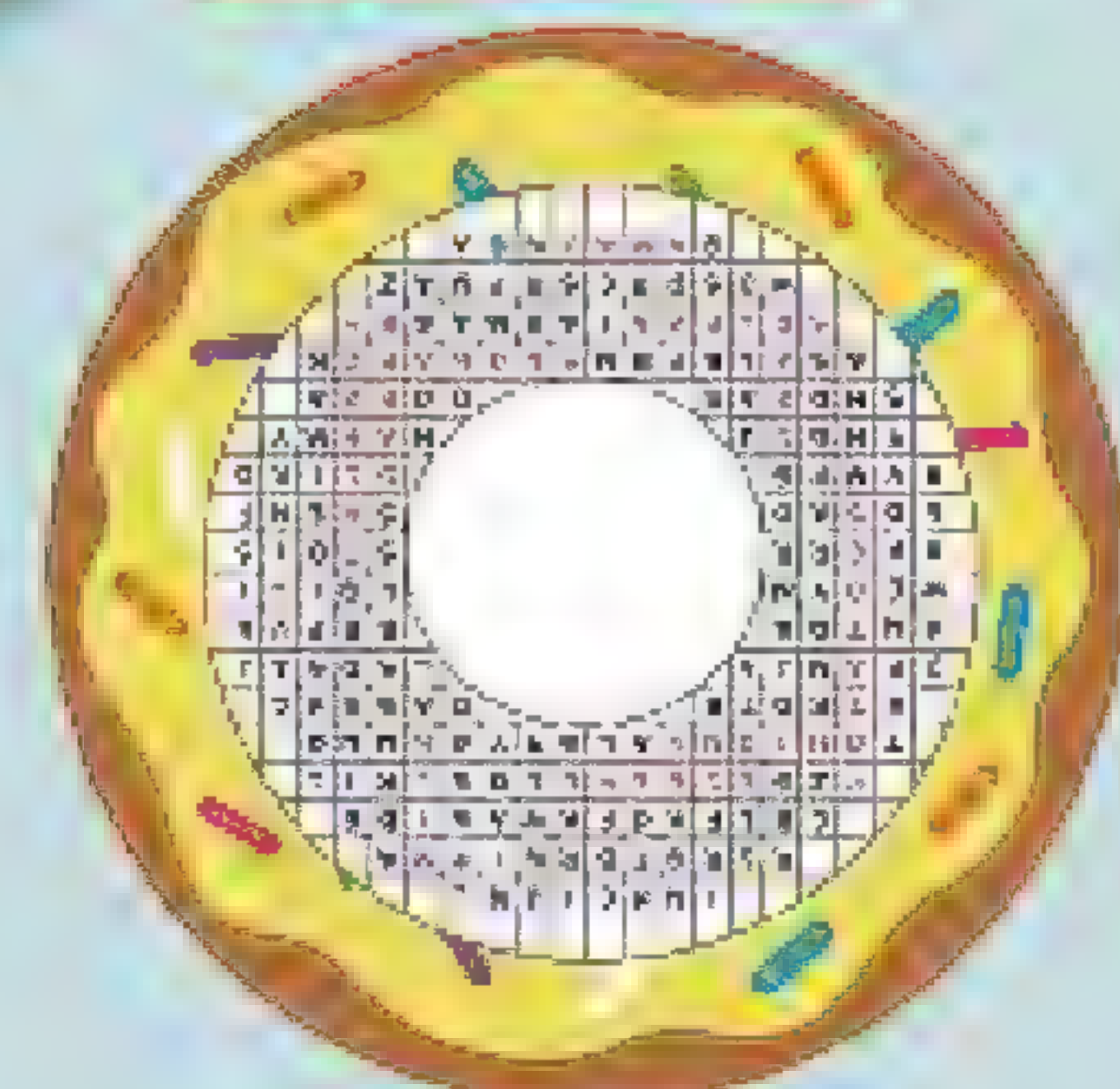
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TICK 'EM OFF AS YOU FIND THEM!

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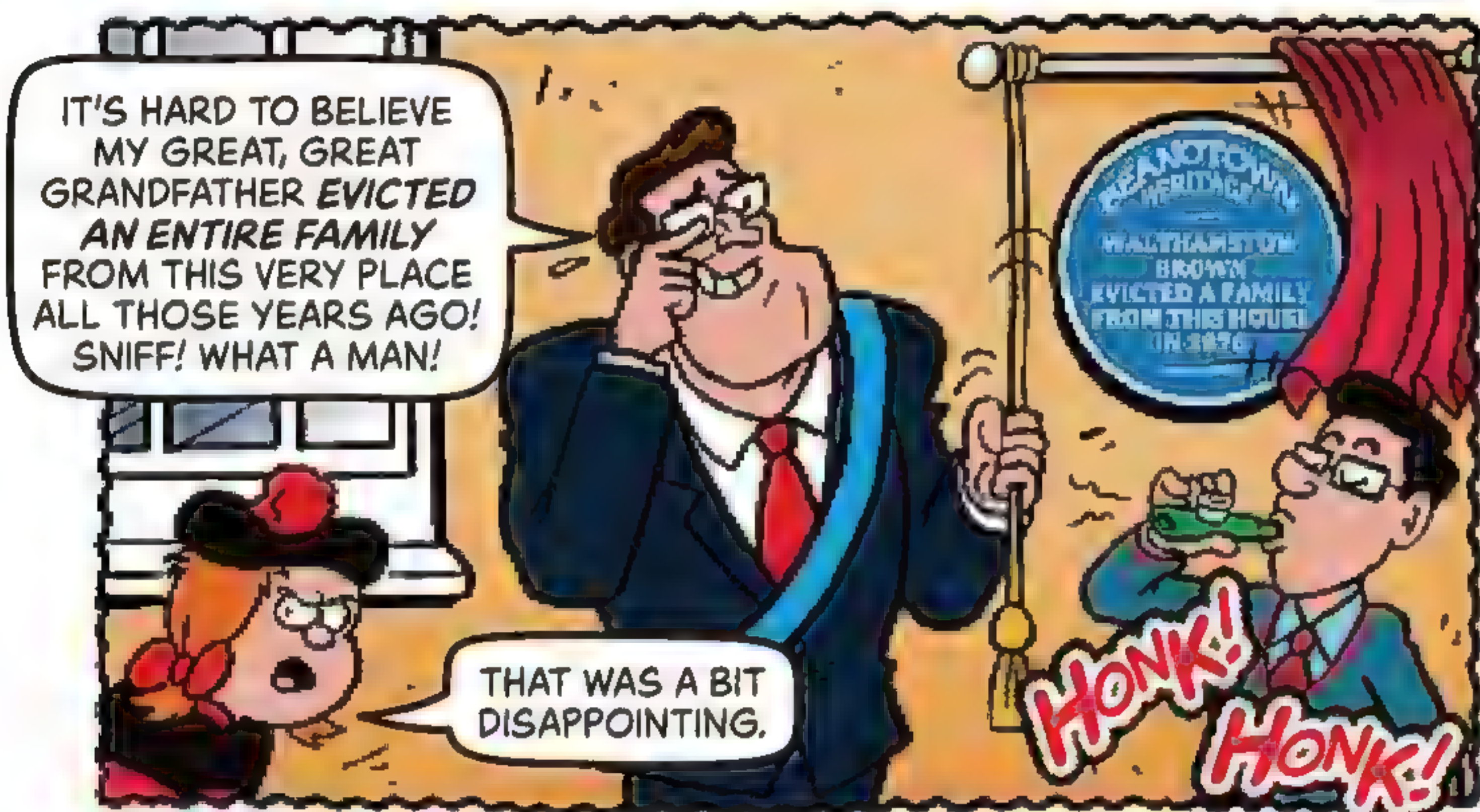
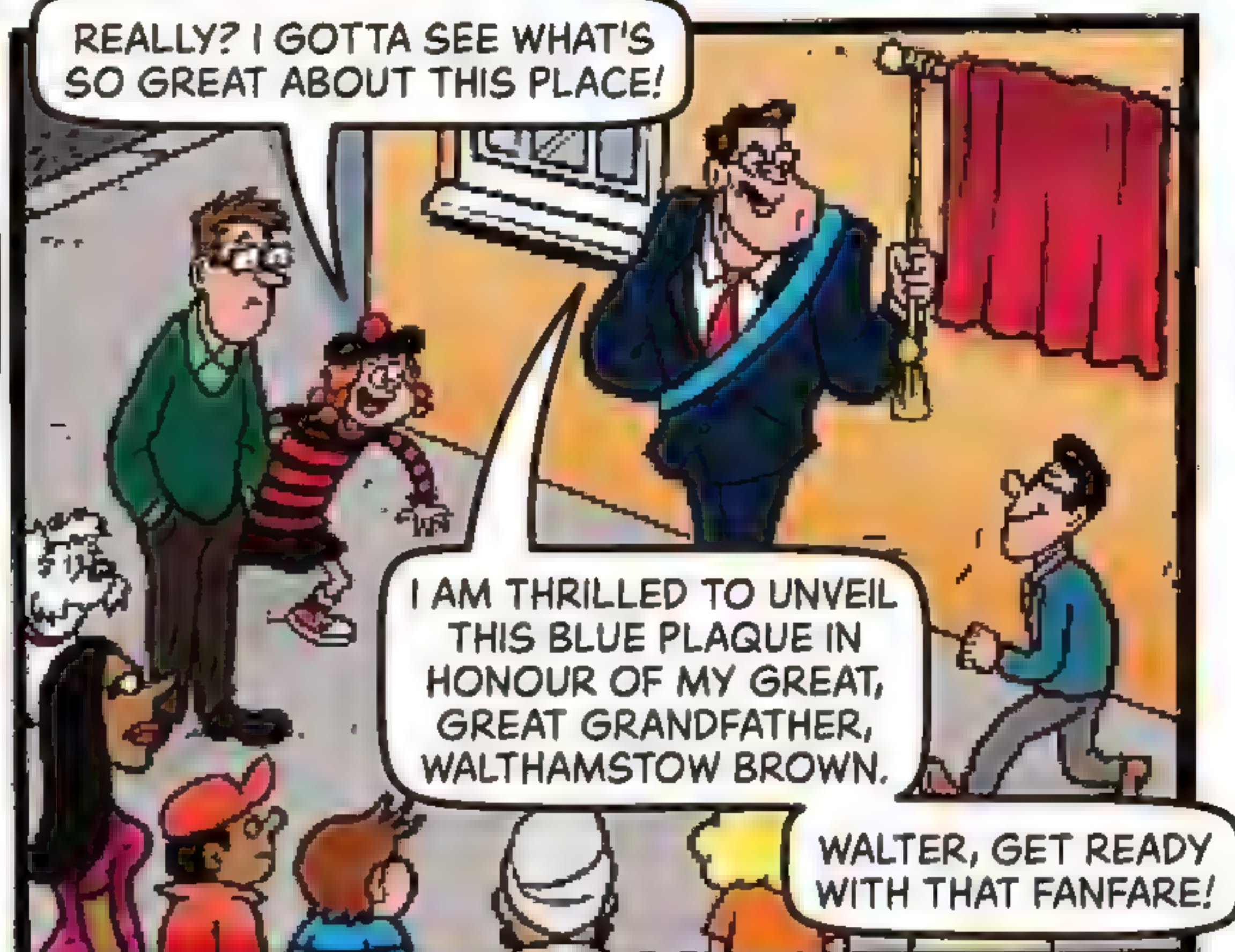
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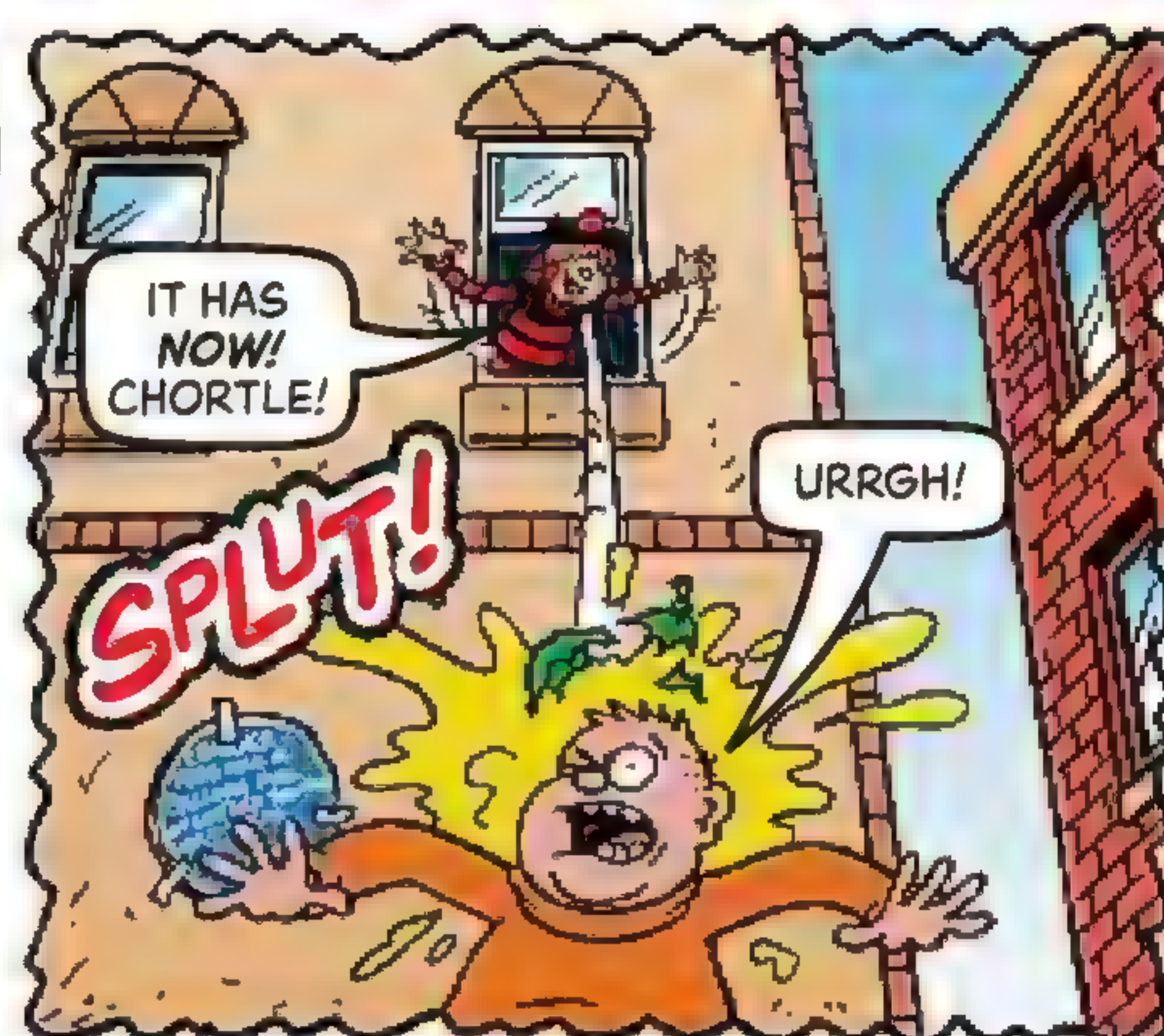
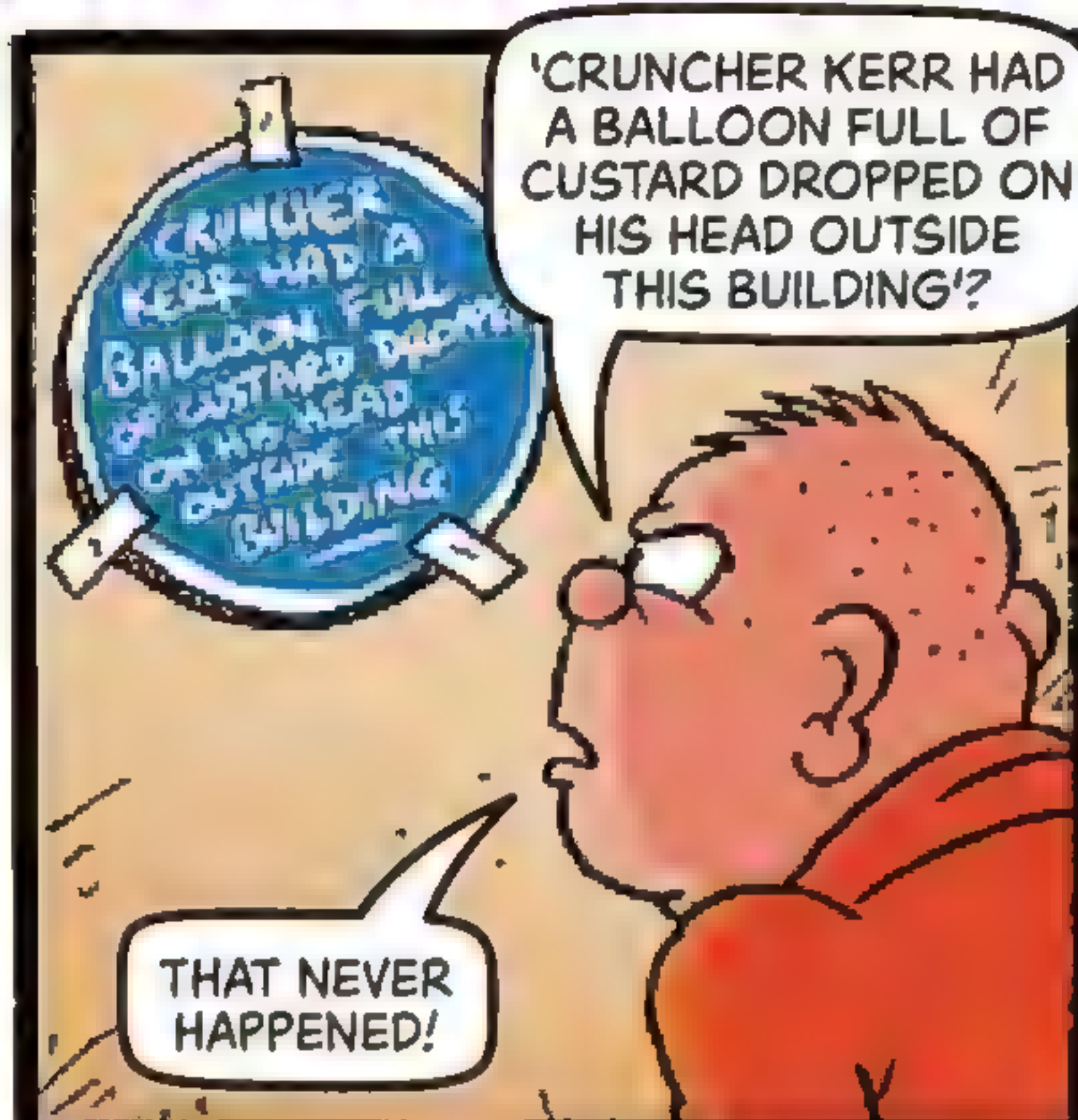
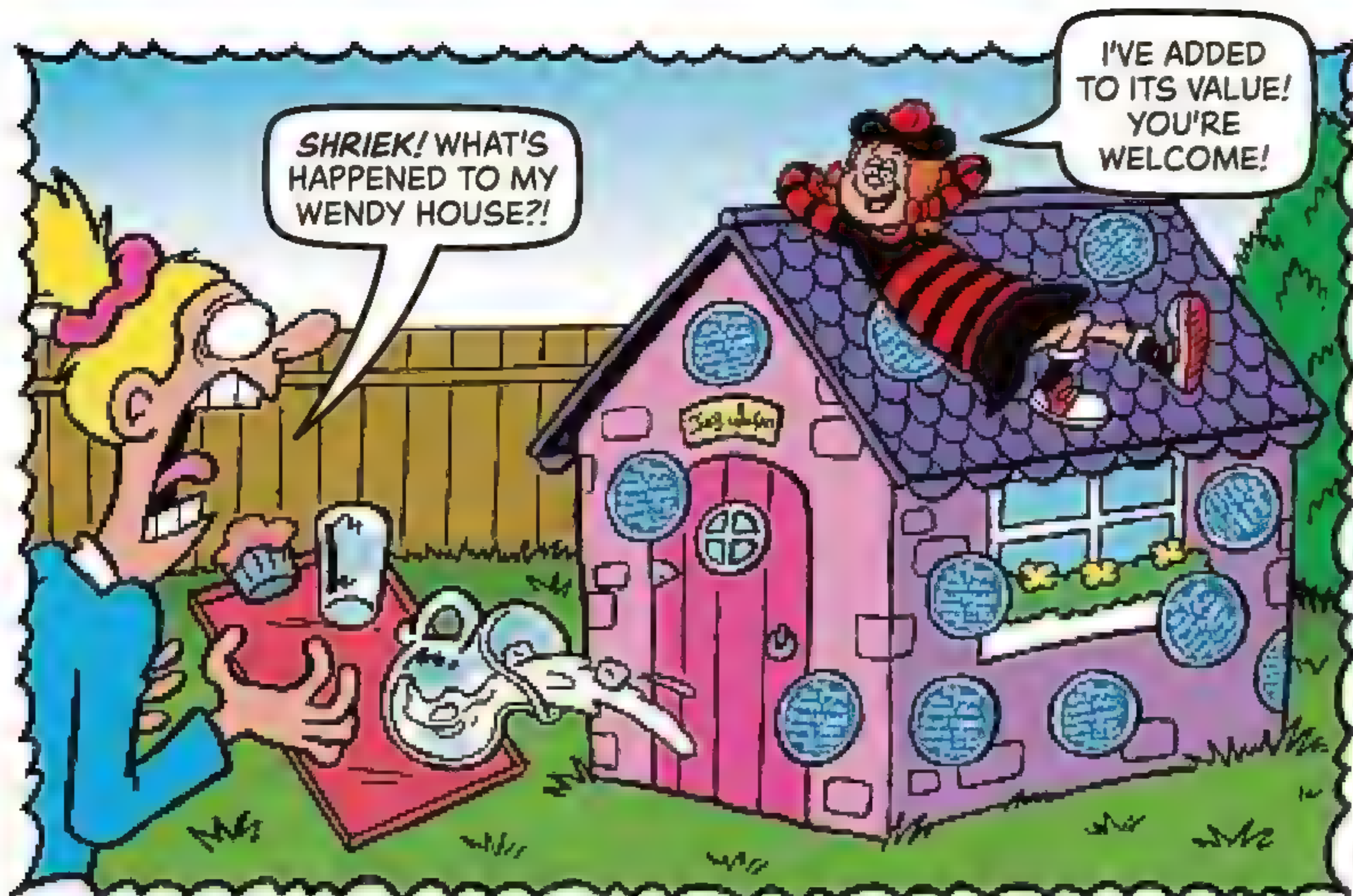


# MINNIE THE MINX

SHE'S TOUGHER THAN ALL THE BOYS...







Why are parrots so clever? Because they always suck-seed!



**MINNIE**  
**PRANK  
SIGNS!**

MINNIE'S MADE MORE PLAQUES FOR YOU  
TO STICK UP AROUND YOUR HOUSE!



**WHAT TO DO:**  
CUT OUT THE PLAQUES AROUND THE  
DOTTED LINES, STICK THEM TO SOME  
CARD AND HAVE SOME FUN! IF YOU  
DON'T WANT TO CUT UP YOUR BEANO,  
COLOUR COPY THE PAGE FIRST!

BRING A PLAQUE  
OF PLAQUES TO  
YOUR HOME!

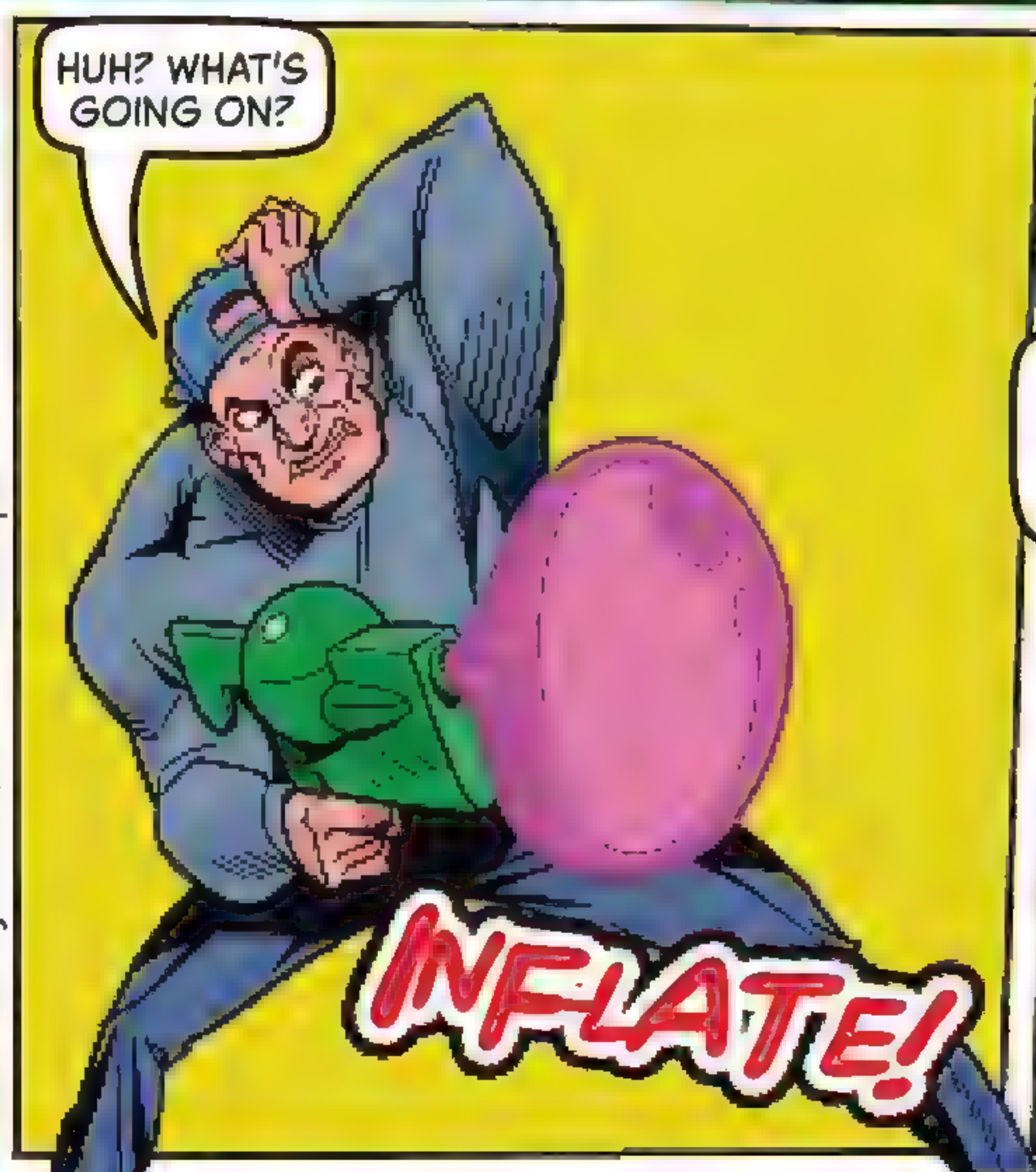
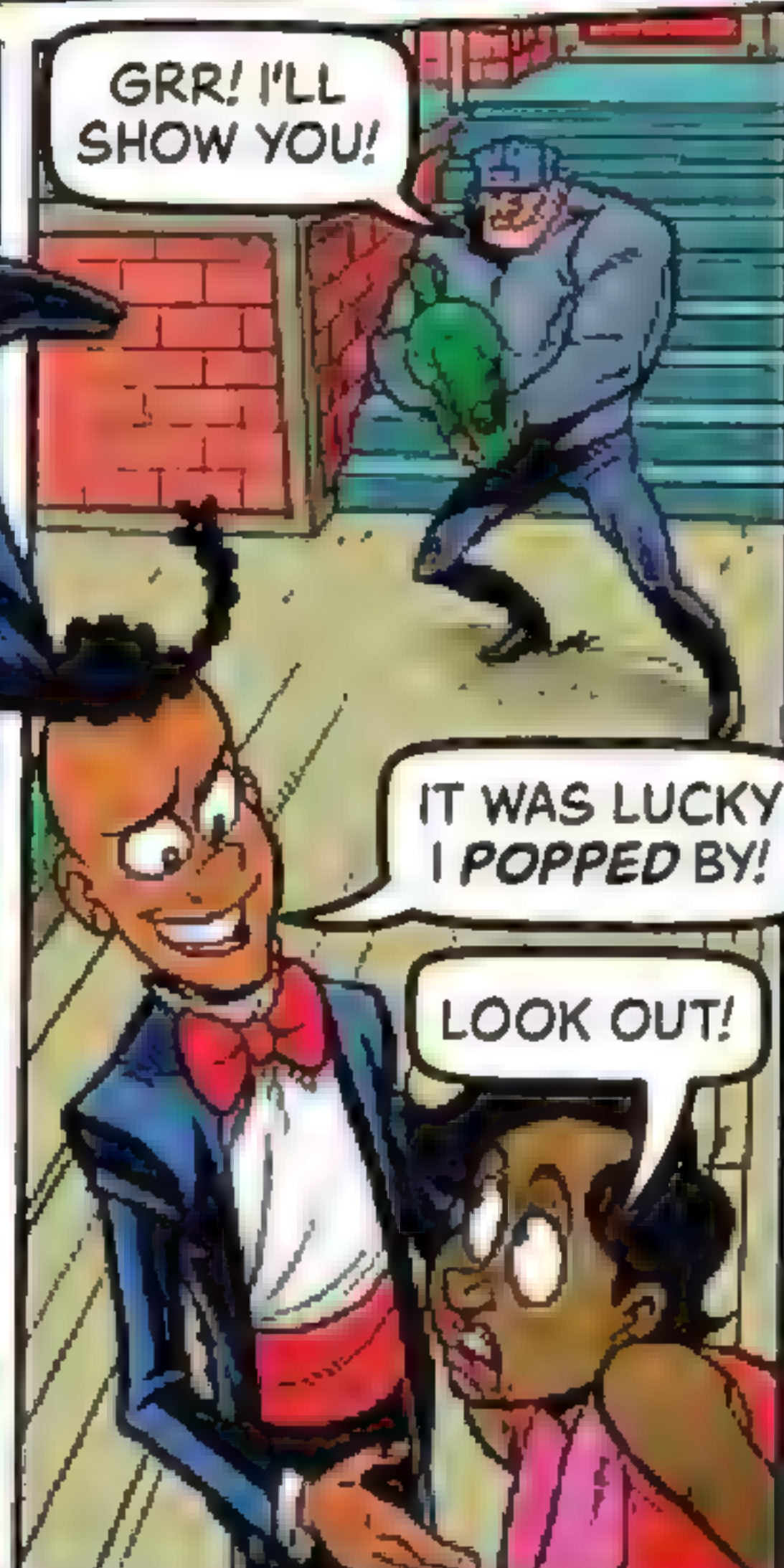
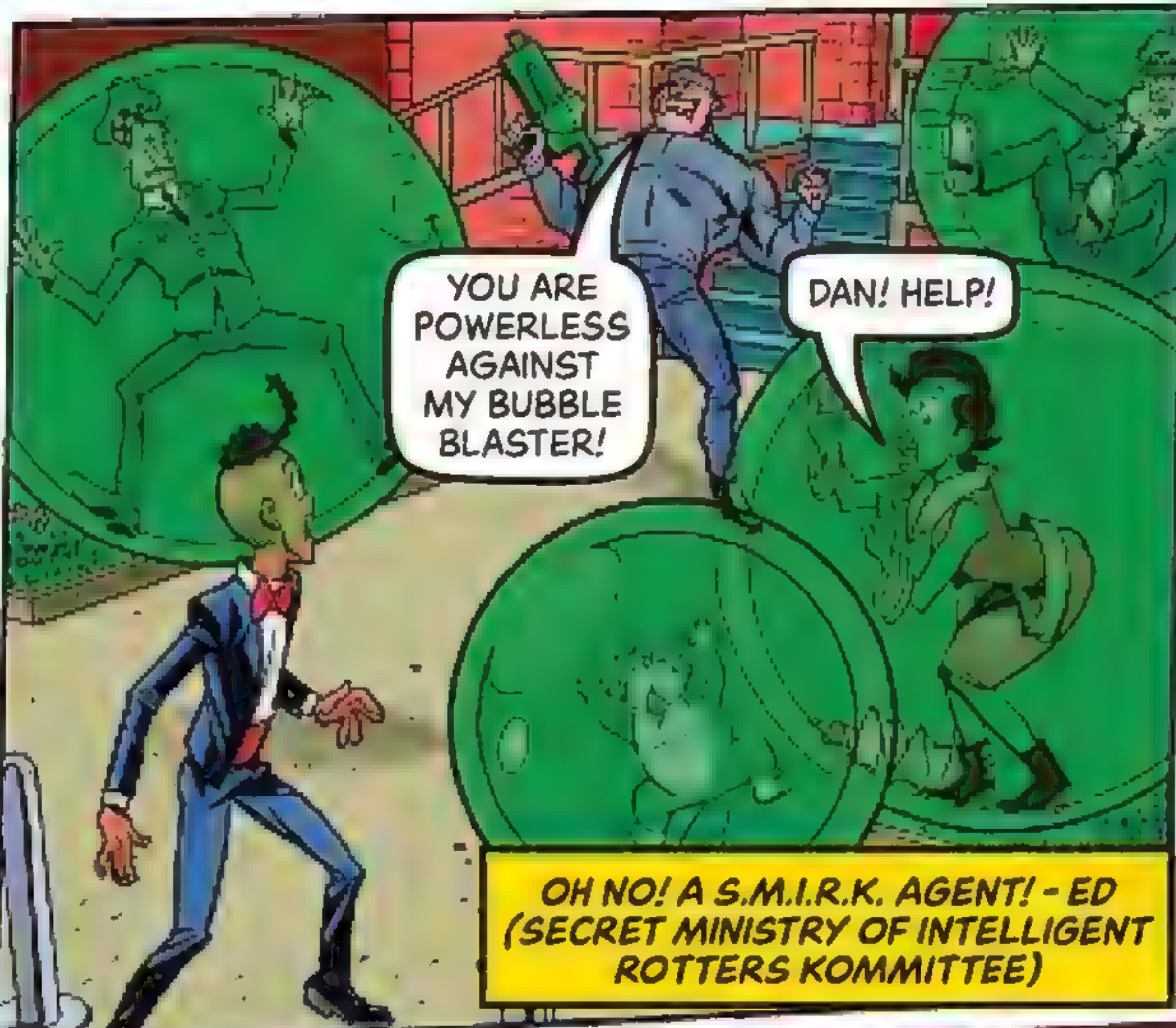






# DANGEROUS DAN

## BEANOTOWN'S **TOP** SPY!



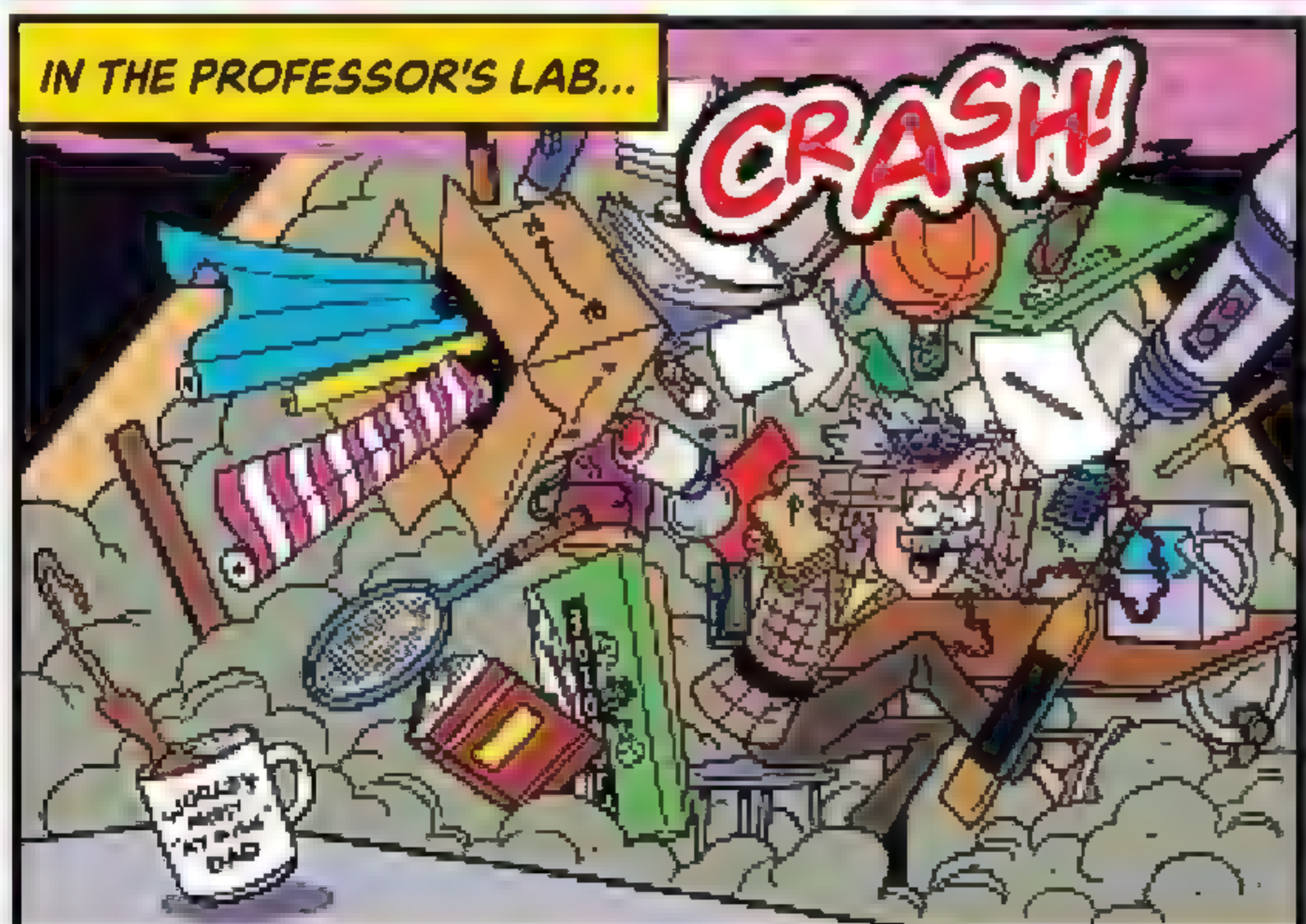
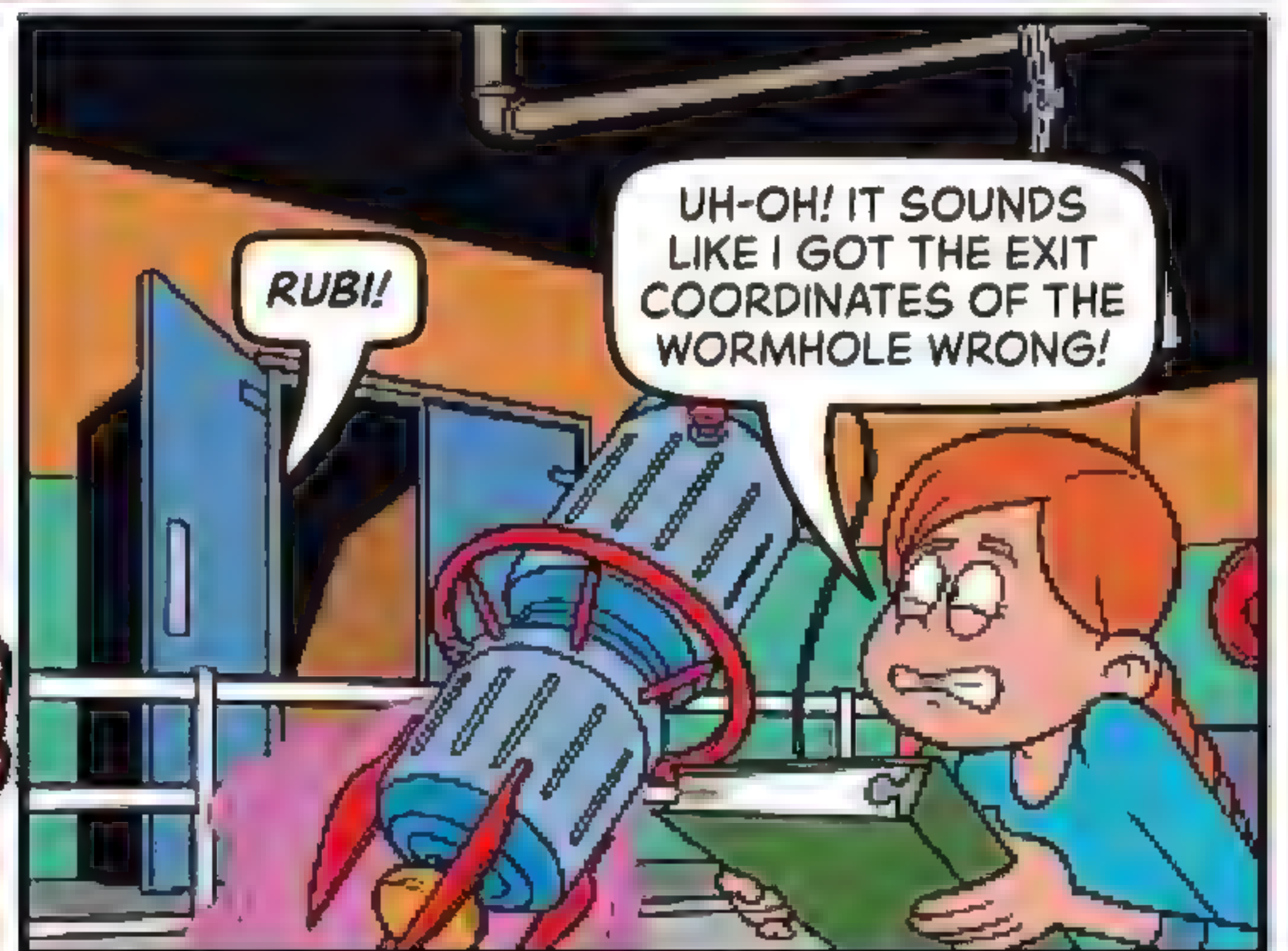
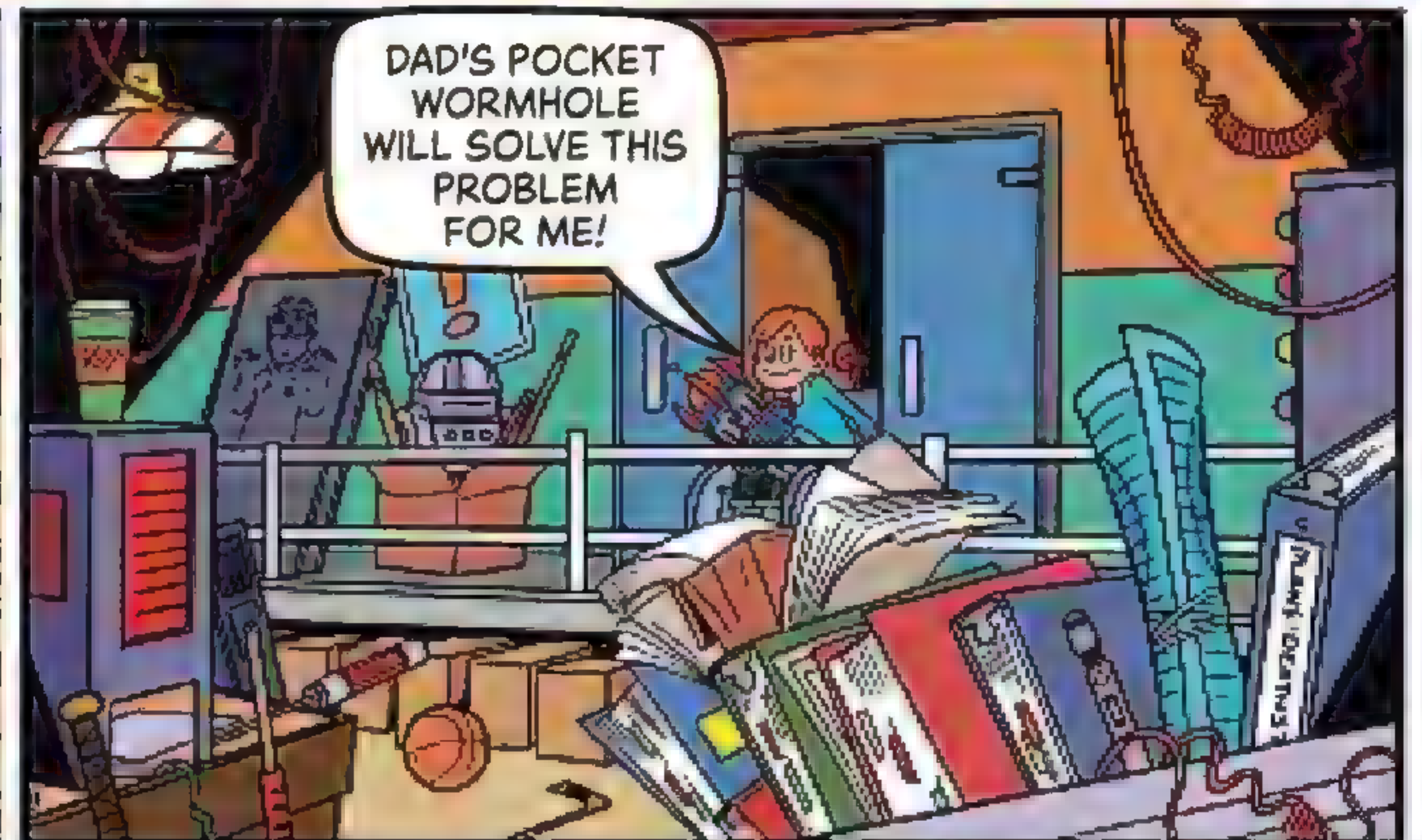
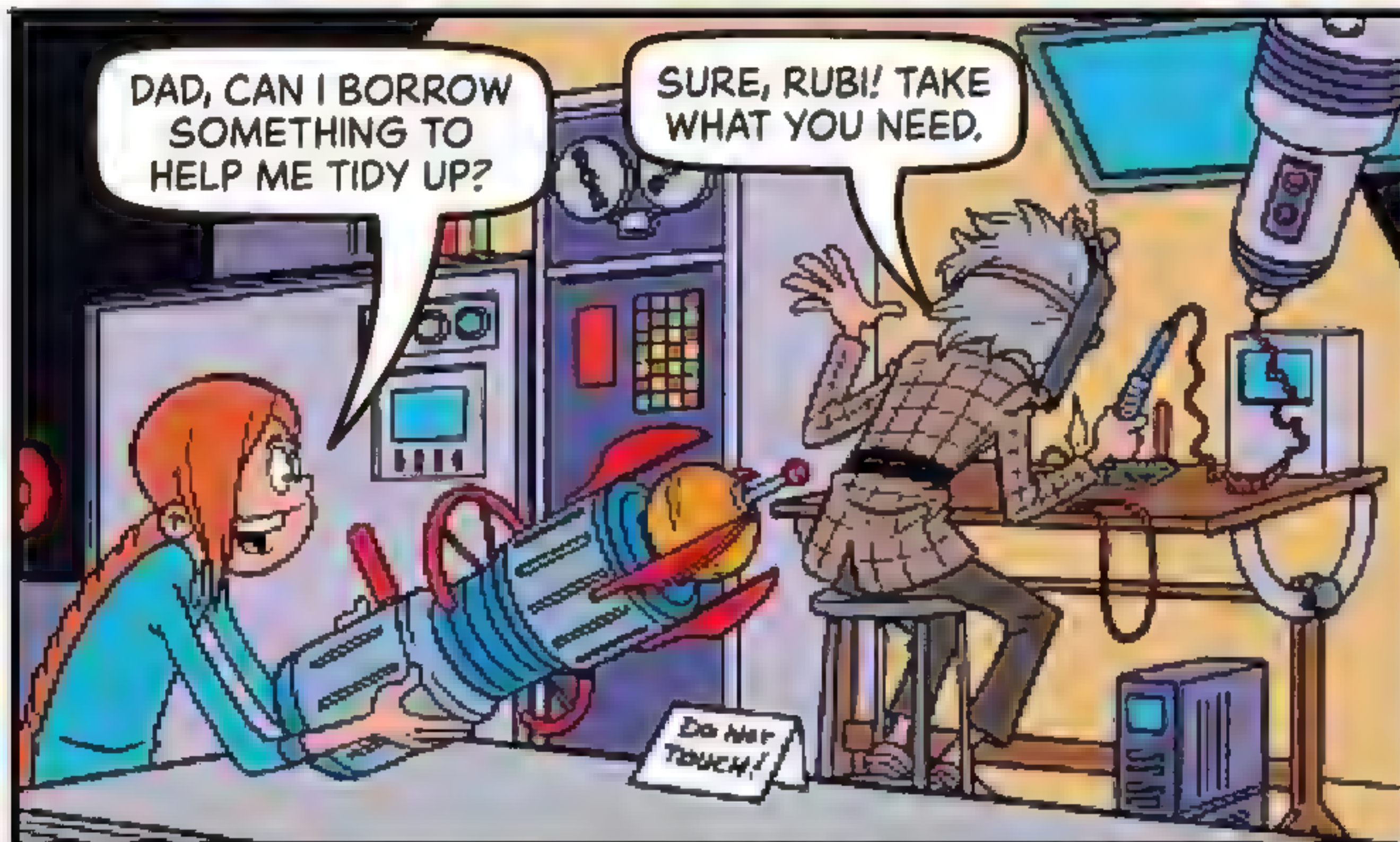
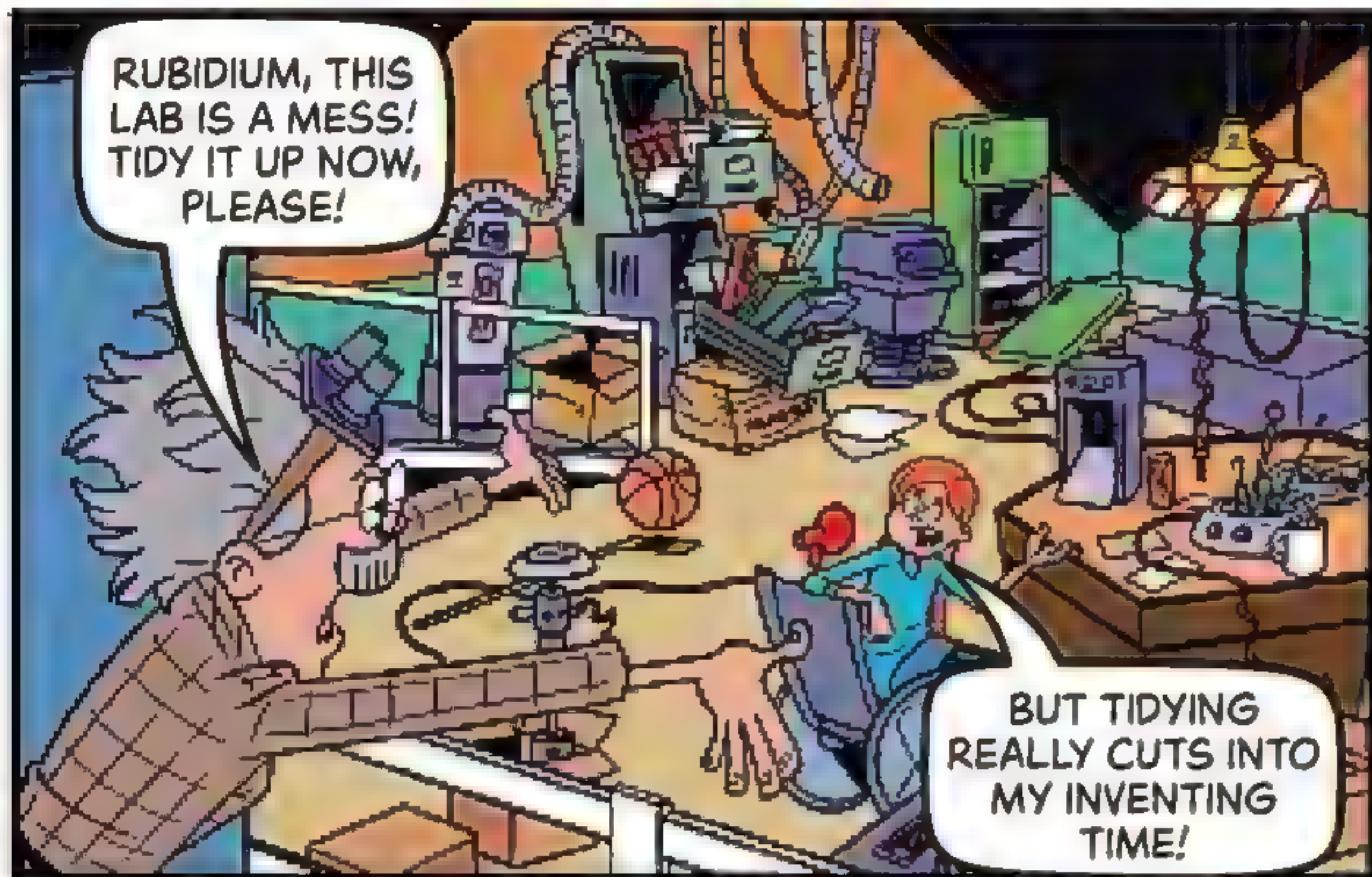
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What do you call a boy with a spade on his head? **Doug!**

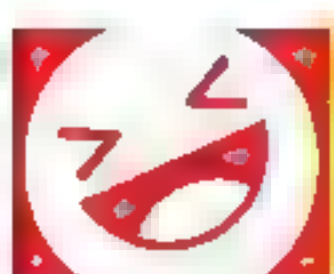


# RUBI'S

# SCREWTOP SCIENCE



WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Shannon Gallant



When is an English teacher like a judge? When they give out long sentences!



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# EXPLORE DENNIS

THROUGH THE AGES @ THE BEANO SHOP

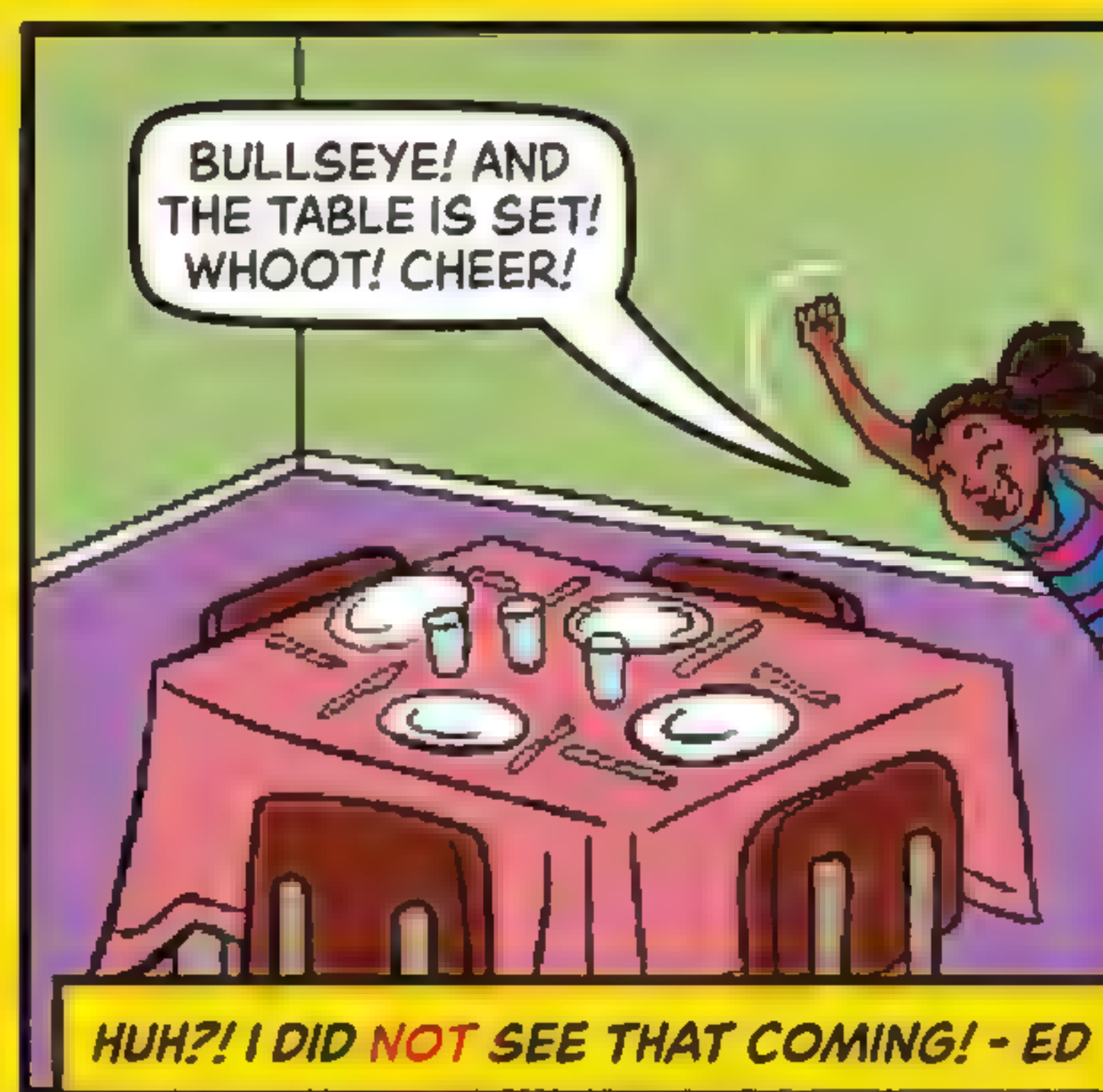
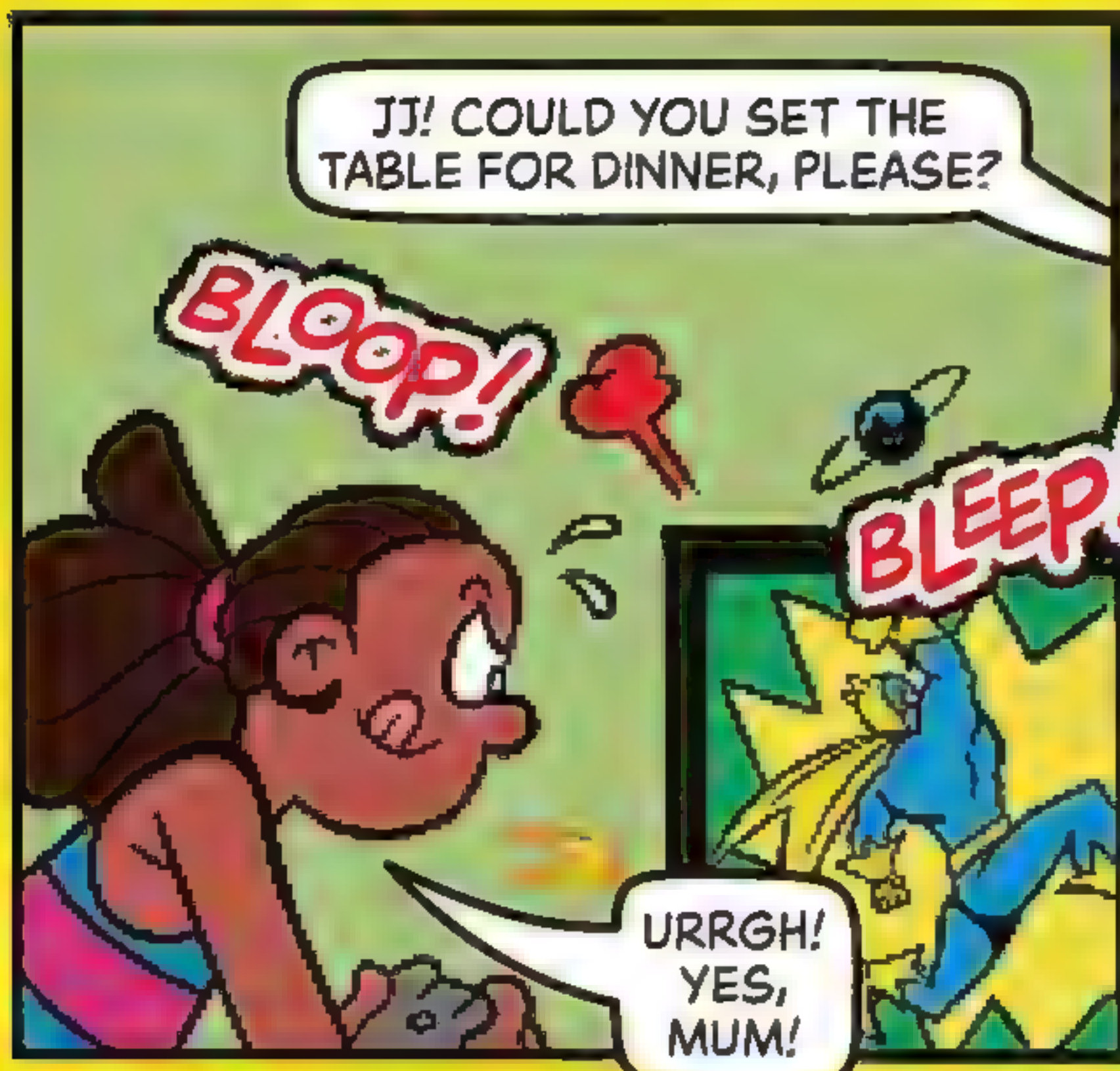
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Freewheeling, freestyle fun!

WORDS: Hugh Raine ART: Wayne Thompson



## ANGEL FACE INVESTIGATES

Detective for hire!

WORDS: Nigel Auchterlounie ART: George Gant





# WHERE DOES SPOTTY'S TIE LEAD?

Angel Face and Jenny are still searching for the end of Spotty's tie! Which end should they follow to lead them to the ice cream shop? Choose carefully, because the others lead to some not so nice places!

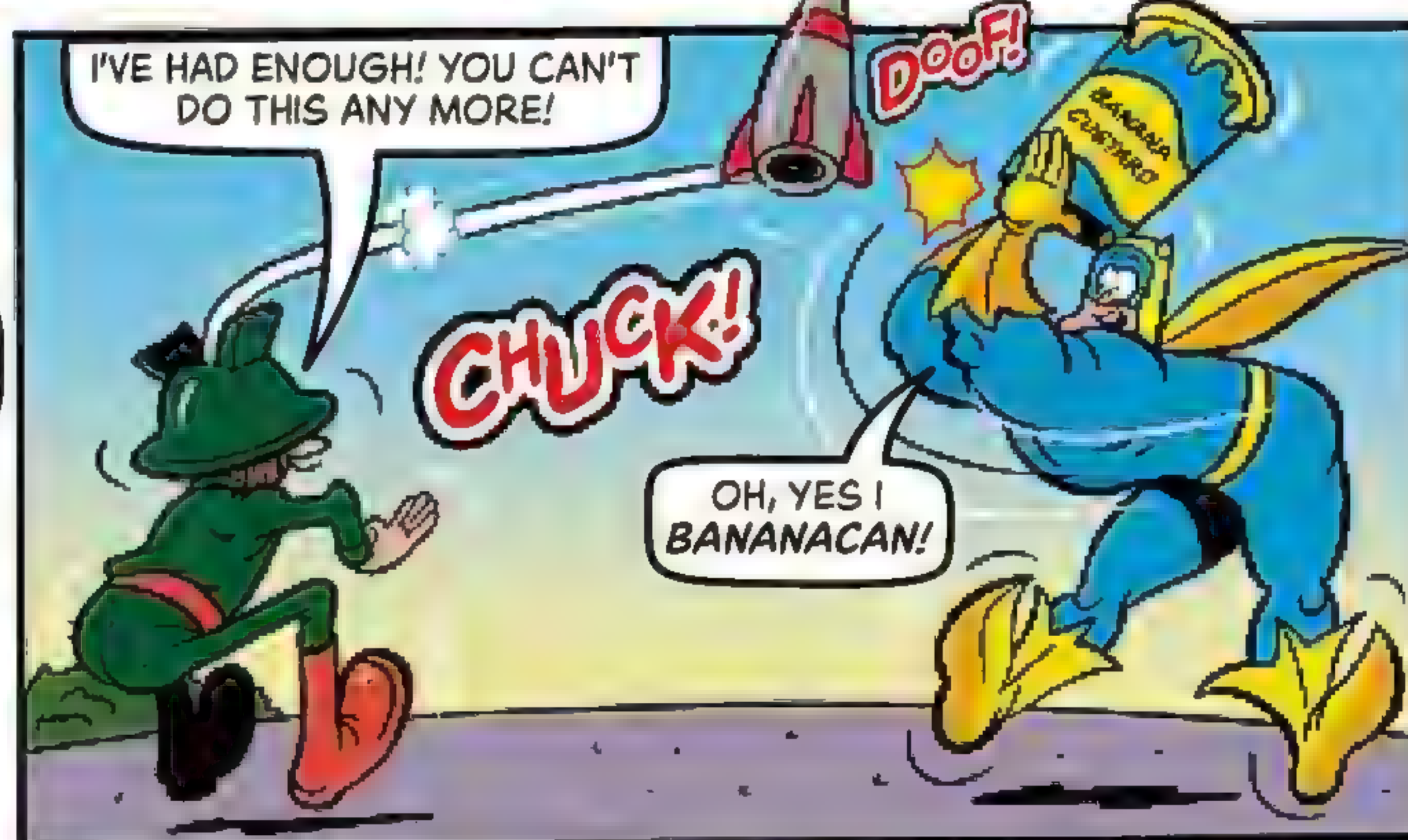
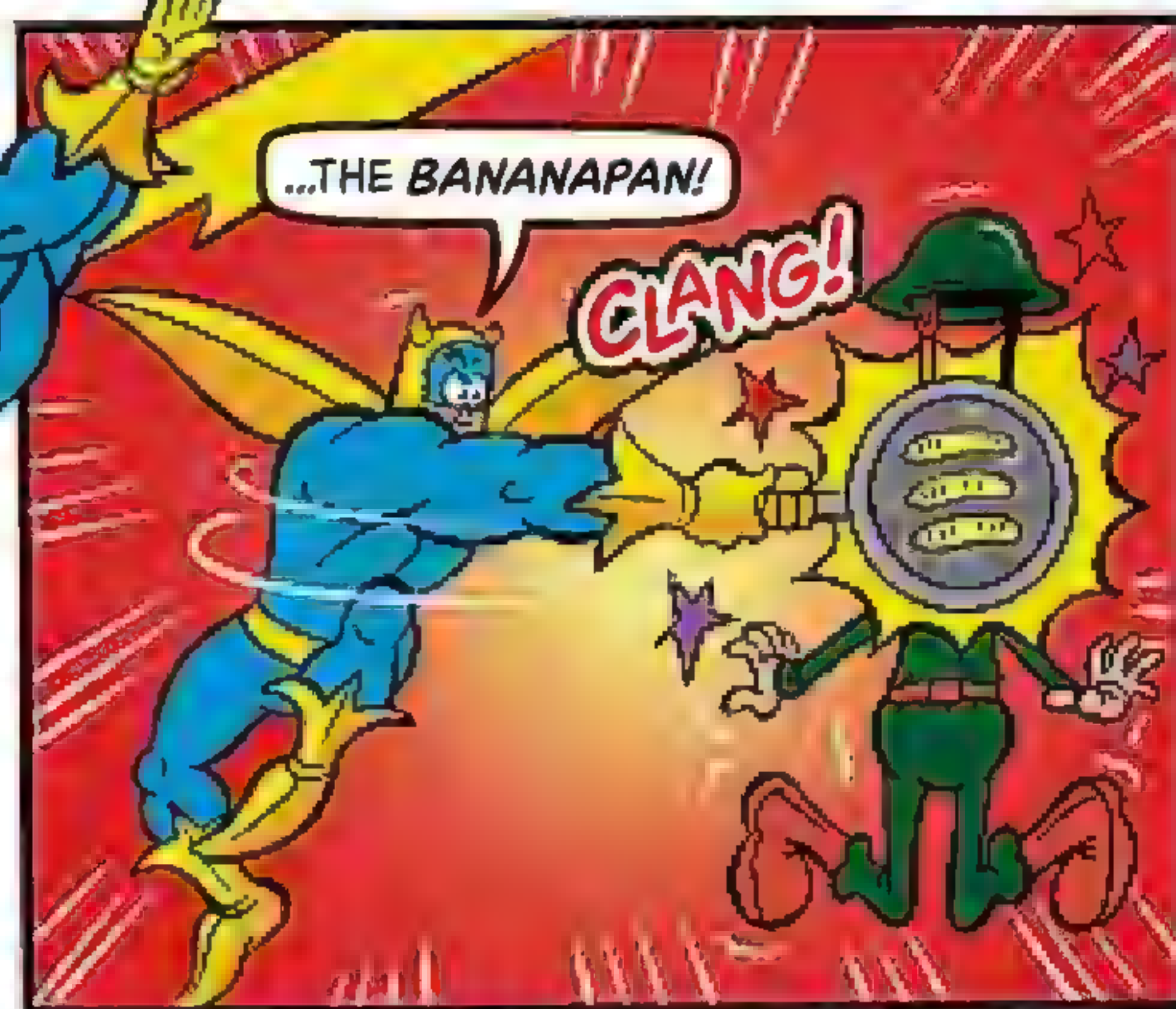
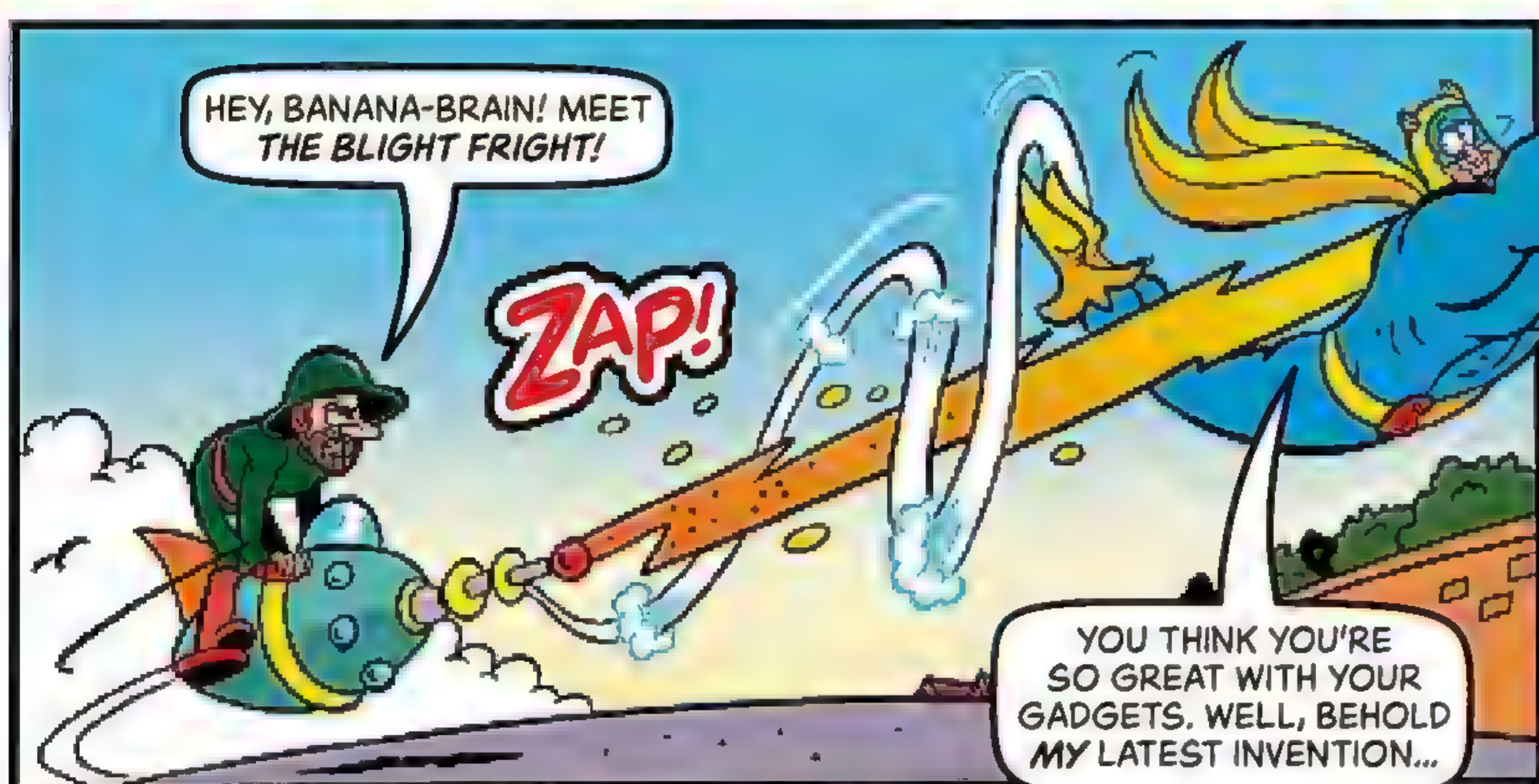


**Q Solution** C leads to the ice cream shop!

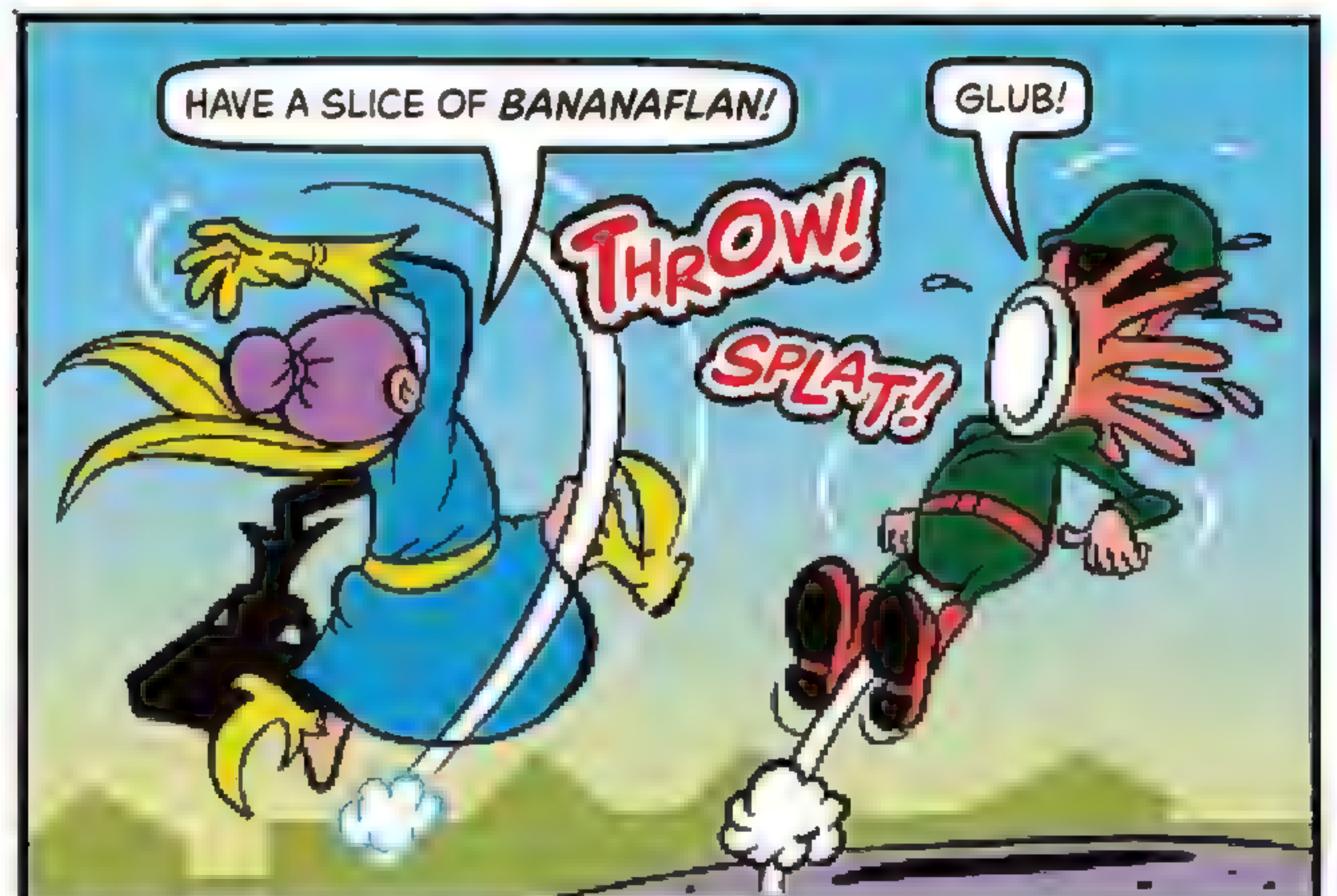
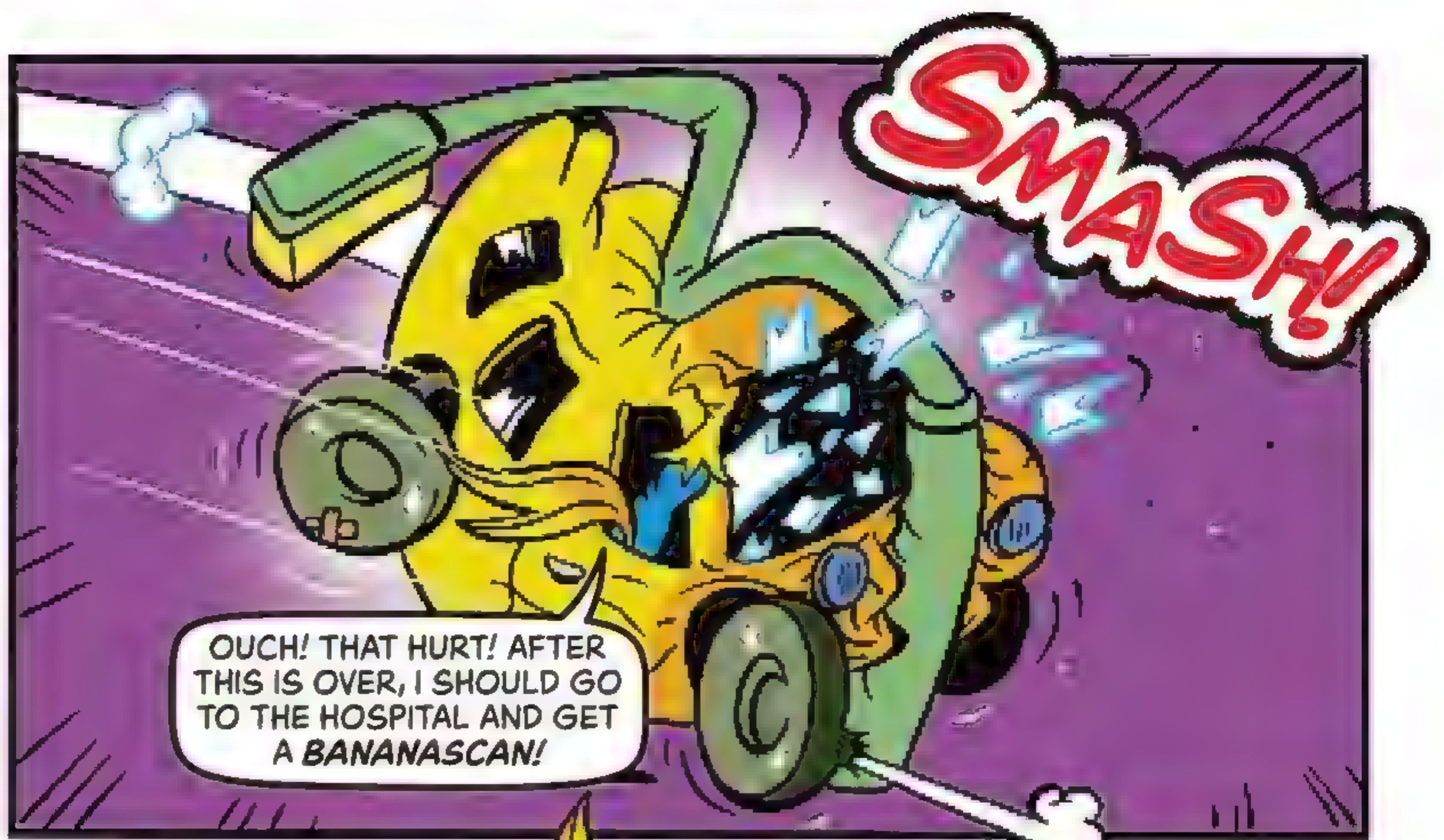
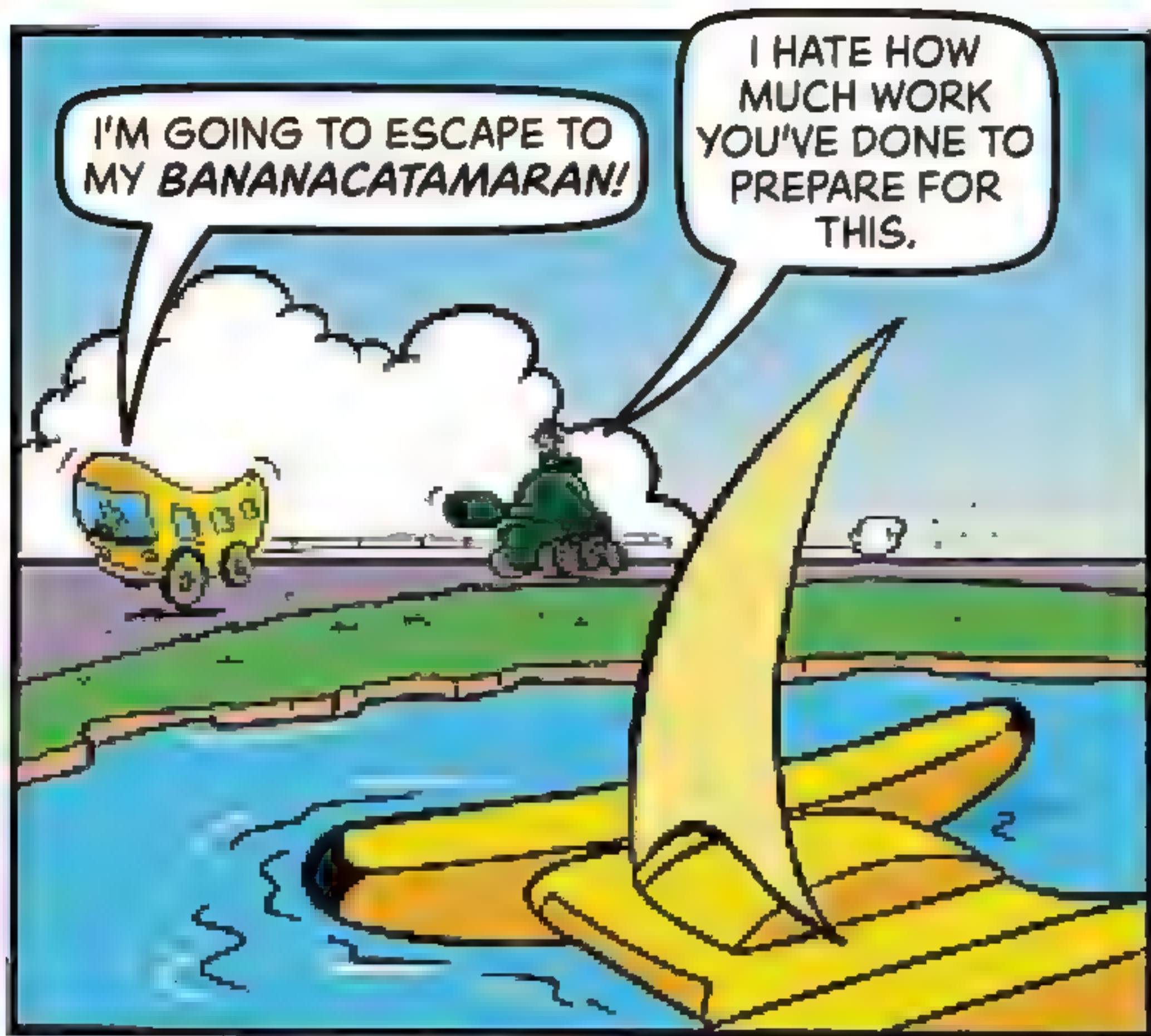


WHEN LITTLE ERIC EATS A BANANA, HE BECOMES...

# BANANAMAN







Why doesn't McDonald's serve snails? Because it's not fast food!



# BE MORE BEANO

ALL THESE BEANO READERS WOULD MAKE AMAZING SPIES! KEEP SENDING IN YOUR BE MORE BEANO PICTURES AND YOU MIGHT MAKE IT ON TO MY SPY TEAM ONE DAY!

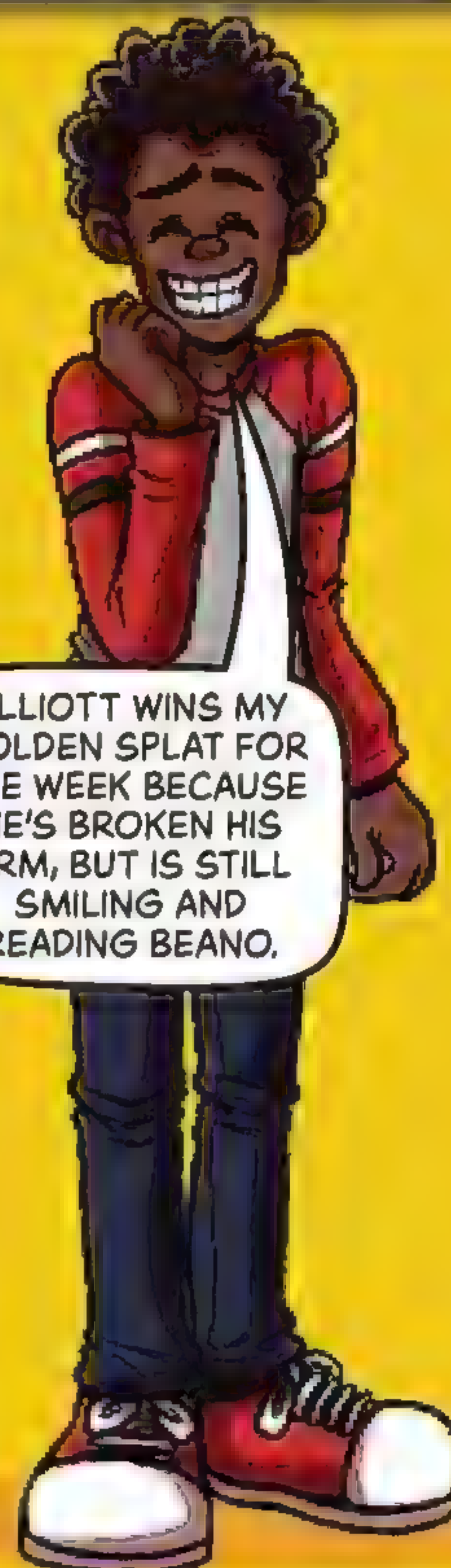


ELLIOTT FROM BO'NESS

LAUGHTER DOES CURE EVERYTHING!



ELLIOTT WINS MY GOLDEN SPLAT FOR THE WEEK BECAUSE HE'S BROKEN HIS ARM, BUT IS STILL SMILING AND READING BEANO.



A MENACE'S BEST FRIEND!



BEN, REBECCA AND POLLY FROM CHELTENHAM

JASPER FROM LONDON



BEANO IS PAW-SITIVELY HILARIOUS!

Jasper shares his Beano collection with his cat, Esmie!

LOVING BEANO IS ALWAYS A WALK IN THE PARK!



Ben, Rebecca and Polly love going on Beano-themed walks!

Who's your menacing best mate?

No menace is complete without their best animal buddy! Do you have a pet you love to read Beano with? Take a picture and send it in with your name and home town to [animalbuddy@beano.com](mailto:animalbuddy@beano.com)



## POLLY FROM DERBY

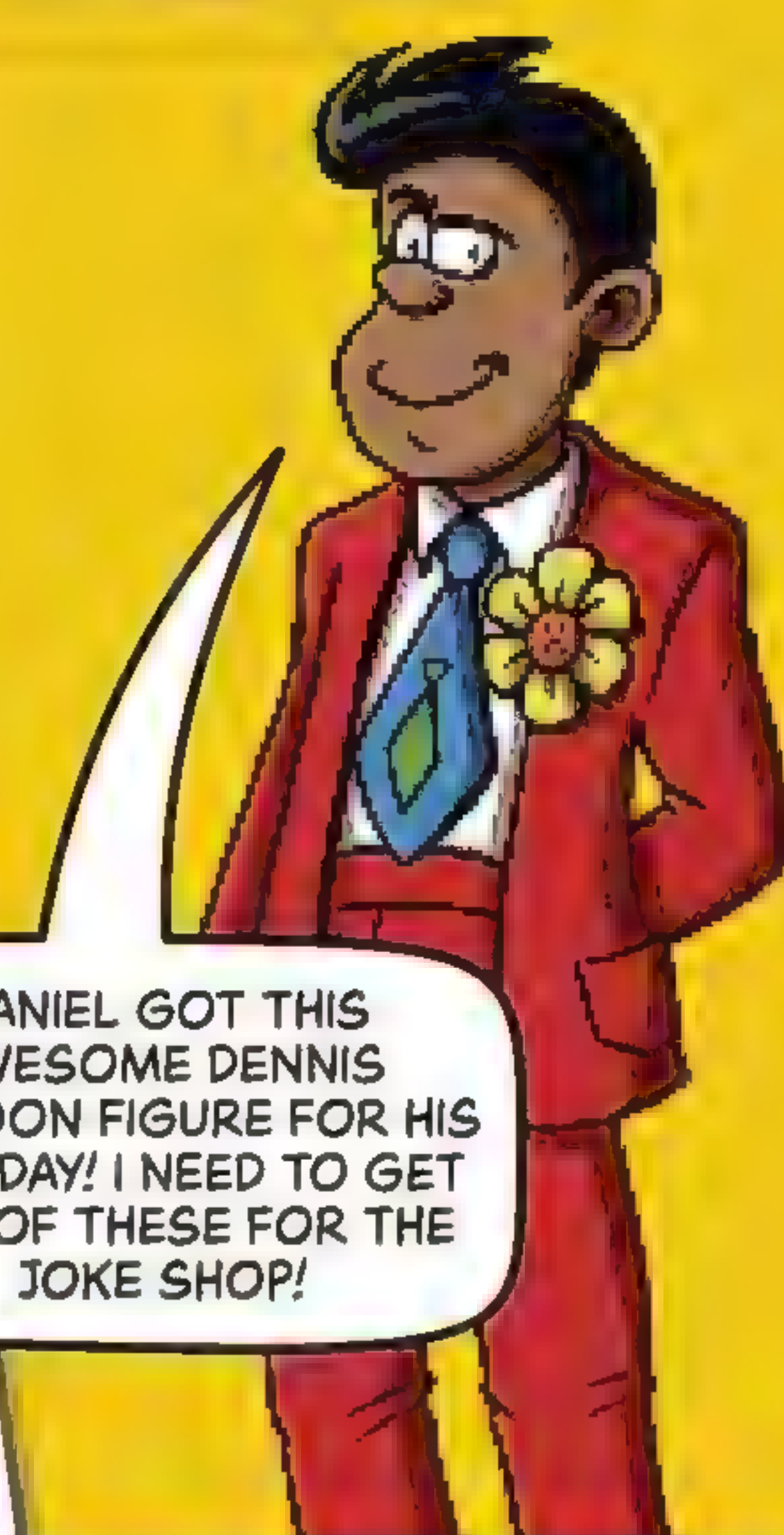


Polly's made herself a Gnasher bookmark!

## DANIEL FROM LEIGHTON BUZZARD



BEANO JUST BURSTS OFF THE PAGE!



DANIEL GOT THIS AWESOME DENNIS BALLOON FIGURE FOR HIS BIRTHDAY! I NEED TO GET ONE OF THESE FOR THE JOKE SHOP!

## ALEXANDER FROM SURREY



Alexander loves spending all his free time reading Beano!

## KIRAN FROM BERKSHIRE



GUESS WHO KIRAN'S FAVOURITE BEANO CHARACTER IS? ME!



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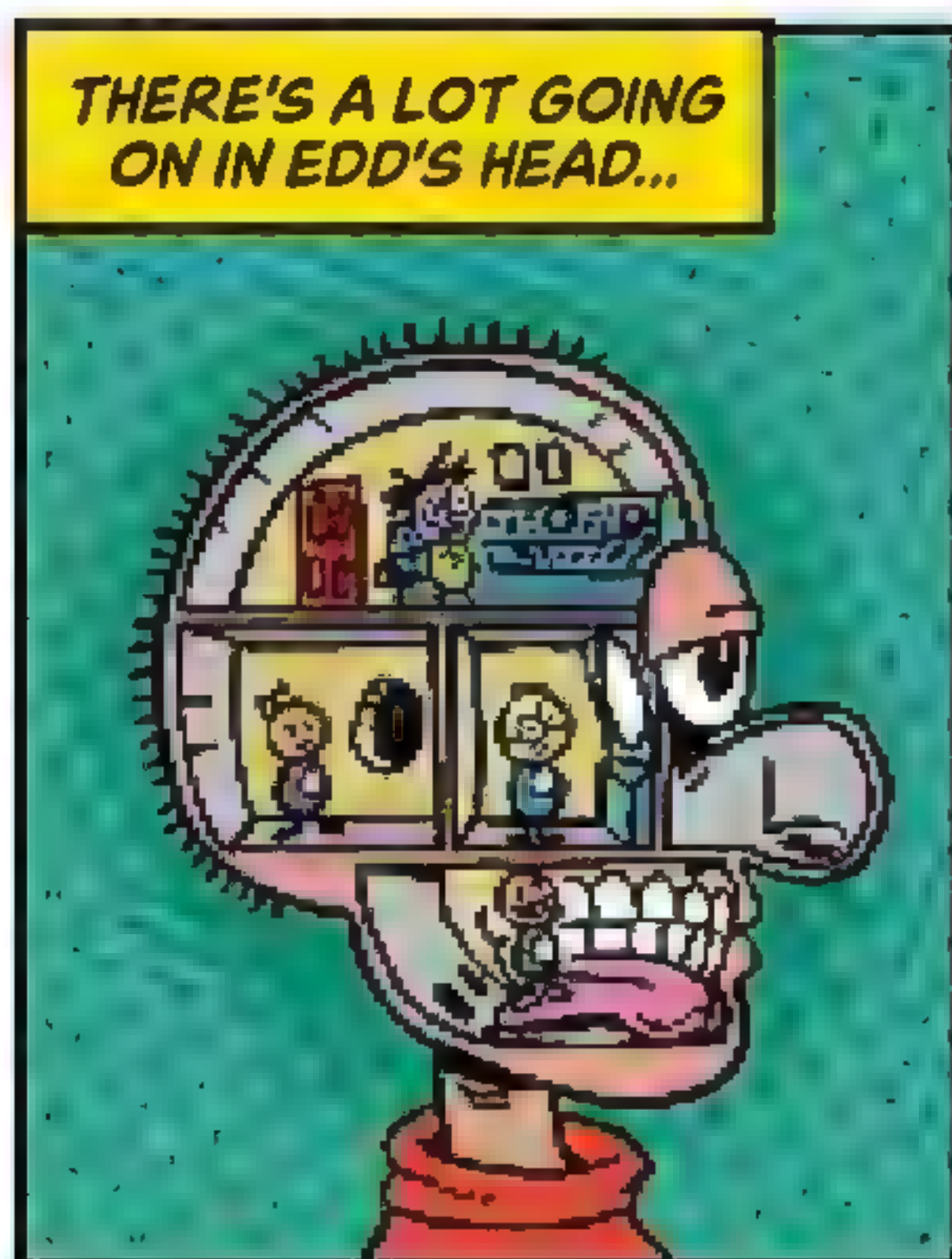
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# NUMSKULLS



The Little guys that live in your head! Everybody has them!



THERE'S A LOT GOING ON IN EDD'S HEAD...



EDD IS DOING NOTHING...



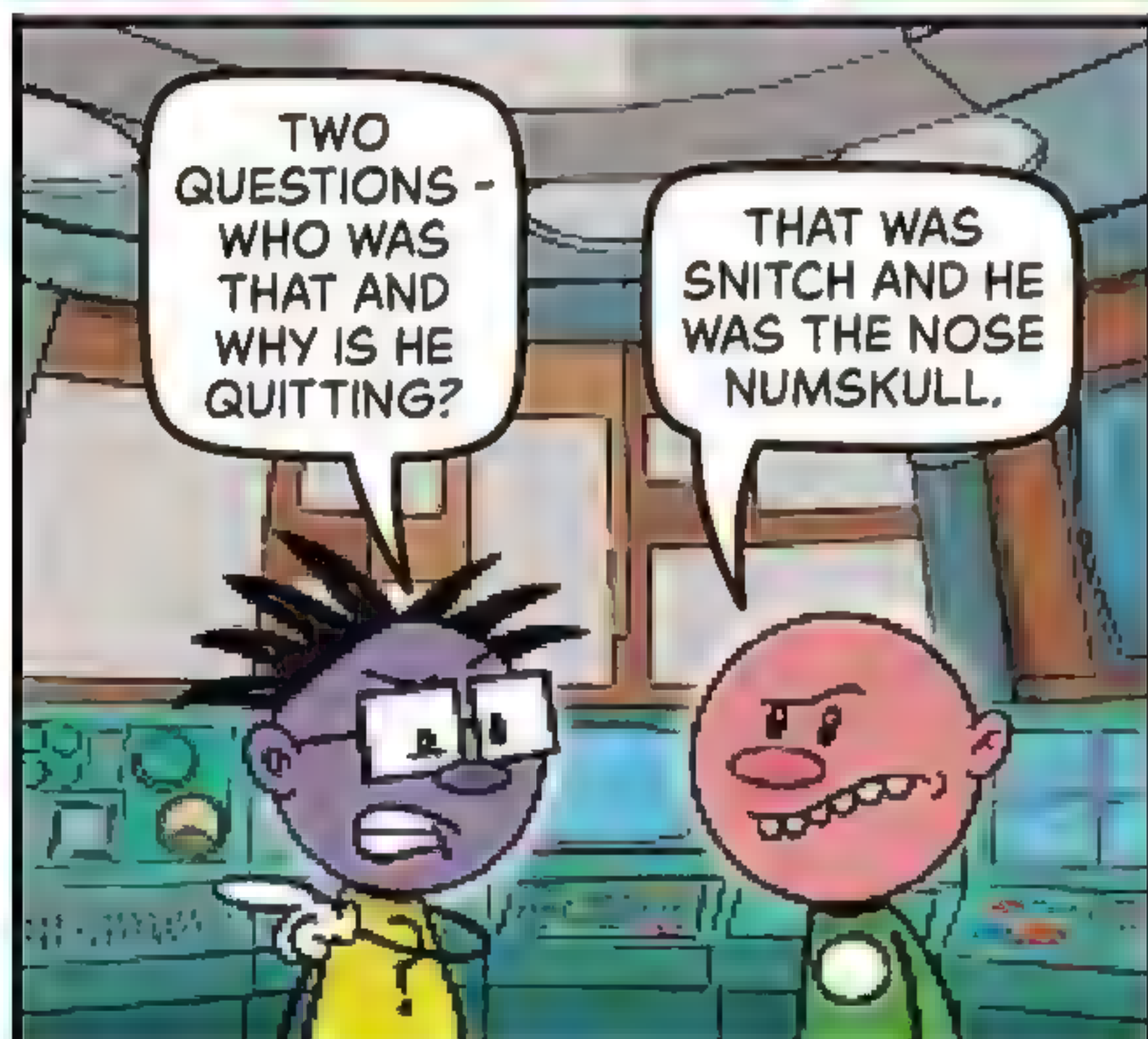
WHICH MEANS, IN EDD'S HEAD, BRAINY IS DOING NOTHING...

AH! NOTHING! MY FAVOURITE THING TO DO! WHEN YOU'RE DOING NOTHING, NOTHING CAN GO WRONG!



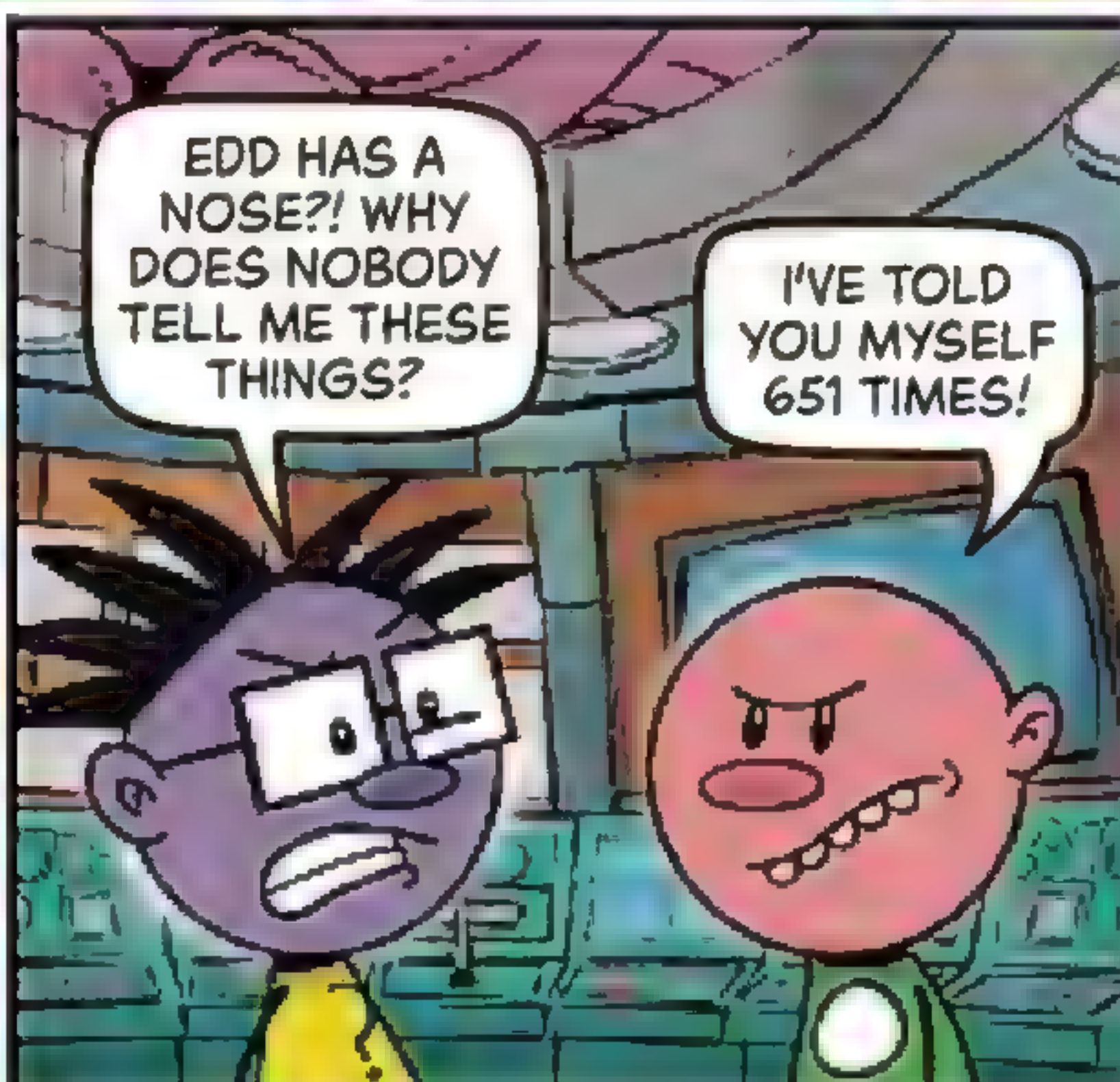
THAT'S IT! I QUIT! I'M SICK OF BEING IGNORED. SMELL YOU LATER!

ARRGH! WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?



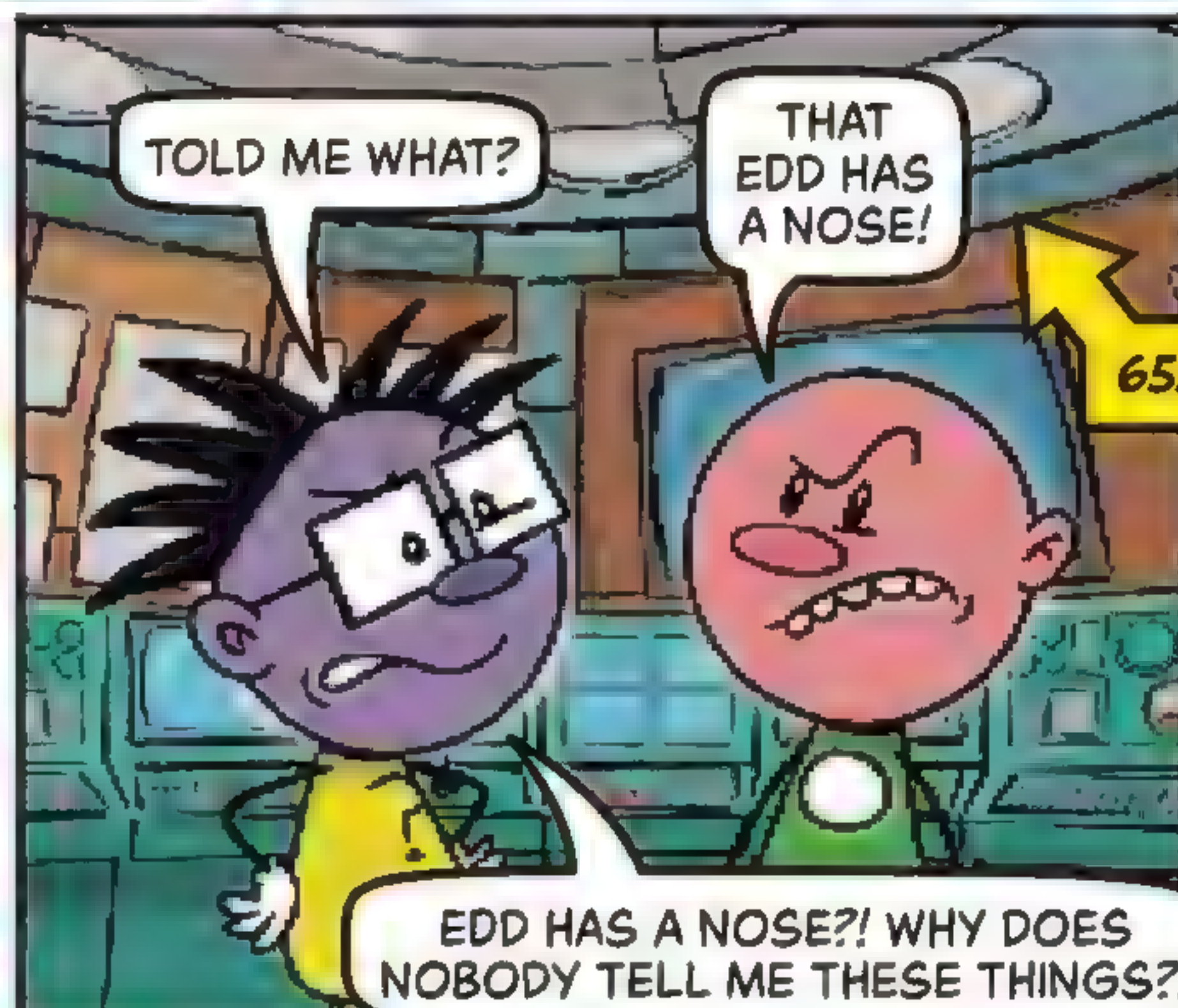
TWO QUESTIONS - WHO WAS THAT AND WHY IS HE QUITTING?

THAT WAS SNITCH AND HE WAS THE NOSE NUMSKULL.



EDD HAS A NOSE?! WHY DOES NOBODY TELL ME THESE THINGS?

I'VE TOLD YOU MYSELF 651 TIMES!



TOLD ME WHAT?

THAT EDD HAS A NOSE!

EDD HAS A NOSE?! WHY DOES NOBODY TELL ME THESE THINGS?!

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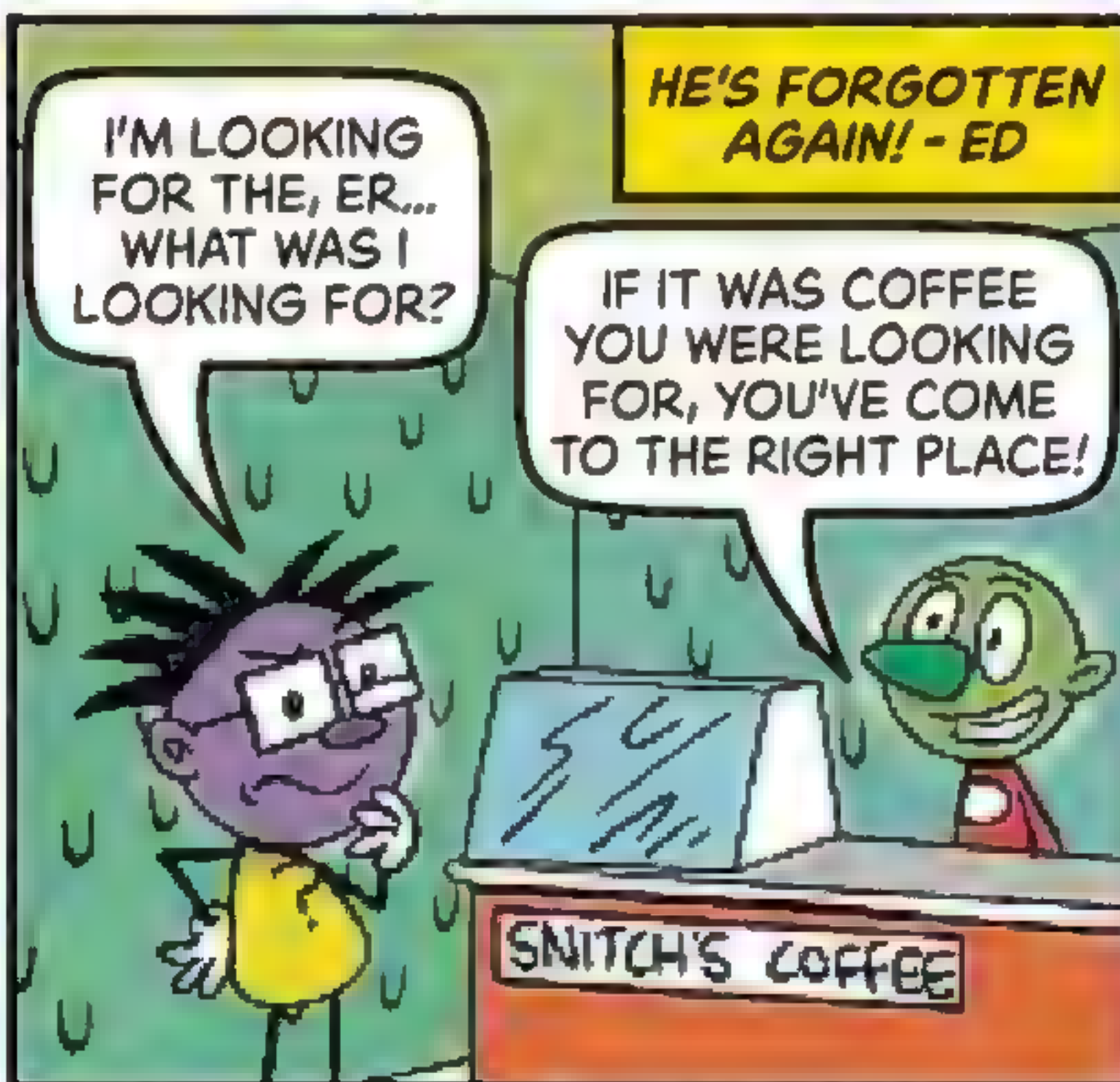


BRAINY INSISTS ON FINDING OUT MORE ABOUT THIS 'NOSE' THING...

THIS MAP APP IS RUBBISH! THERE'S NO NOSE AROUND HERE.

I'LL ASK FOR DIRECTIONS IN THE COFFEE SHOP.

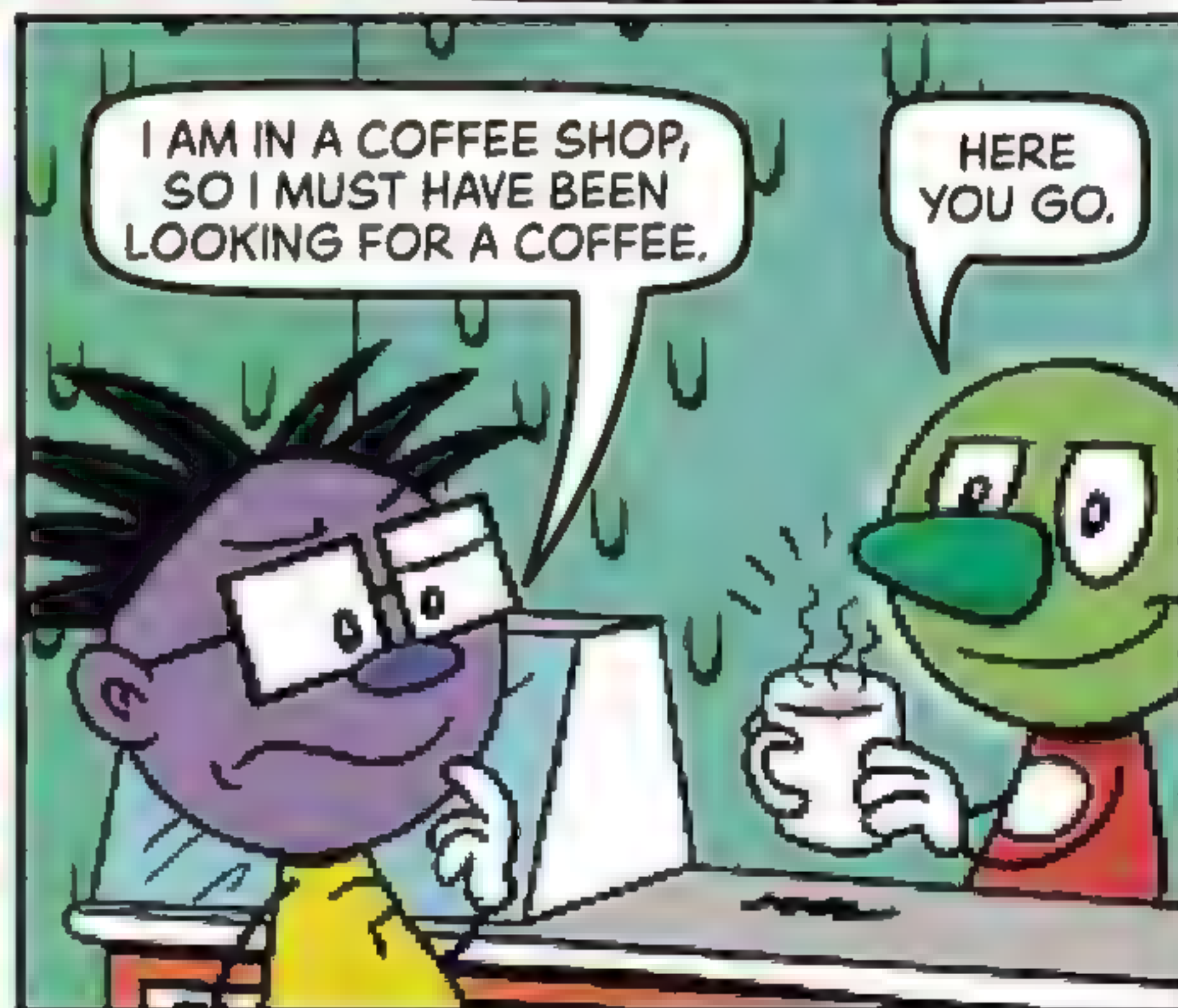
THERE'S A COFFEE SHOP?! - ED



I'M LOOKING FOR THE, ER... WHAT WAS I LOOKING FOR?

HE'S FORGOTTEN AGAIN! - ED

IF IT WAS COFFEE YOU WERE LOOKING FOR, YOU'VE COME TO THE RIGHT PLACE!



I AM IN A COFFEE SHOP, SO I MUST HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR A COFFEE.

HERE YOU GO.



SLURP! YUM! THIS IS NICE. IS IT A FLAT WHITE? SLURP! DELICIOUS.

YOU COULD CALL IT A FLAT GREEN OR A SNOTUCCINO... BECAUSE IT'S SNOT!



IT'S SNOT?! SPLUTTER! WHY?!

SNOT'S ALL I'VE GOT TO WORK WITH. THIS IS THE NOSE.

SPLOOT!



EDD HAS A NOSE?!

ARRGH!





# SNOT FUNNY!

**ARE THESE JOKE FUNNY?**  
**NOBODY NOSE!**

**WHY CAN'T  
YOU HEAR A  
PTERODACTYL  
GO TO THE  
BATHROOM?**  
**BECAUSE THE  
P IS SILENT!**

**WHAT DO  
YOU CALL A  
FAKE NOODLE?**  
**AN IMPASTA!**

**WHAT DID  
THE BUFFALO  
SAY WHEN THEIR  
SON LEFT FOR  
COLLEGE?**  
**'BISON!'**

**WHAT'S THE  
BEST THING  
ABOUT  
SWITZERLAND?**  
**I DON'T KNOW,  
BUT THE FLAG  
IS A BIG PLUS!**

**WHY DON'T  
SCIENTISTS  
TRUST ATOMS?**  
**BECAUSE THEY  
MAKE UP  
EVERYTHING!**

**WHAT DID  
THE SHARK  
SAY WHEN  
THEY ATE THE  
CLOWNFISH?**  
**'THIS TASTES  
A LITTLE  
FUNNY!'**

**WHAT  
DOES A NOSY  
PEPPER DO?**  
**GETS  
JALAPENO  
BUSINESS!**

**WHAT DID  
THE PIRATE  
SAY WHEN THEY  
TURNED 80?**  
**'AYE MATEY!'**

**DID YOU  
HEAR ABOUT THE  
ACTOR WHO FELL  
THROUGH THE  
FLOORBOARDS?**  
**THEY WERE  
JUST GOING  
THROUGH A  
STAGE!**

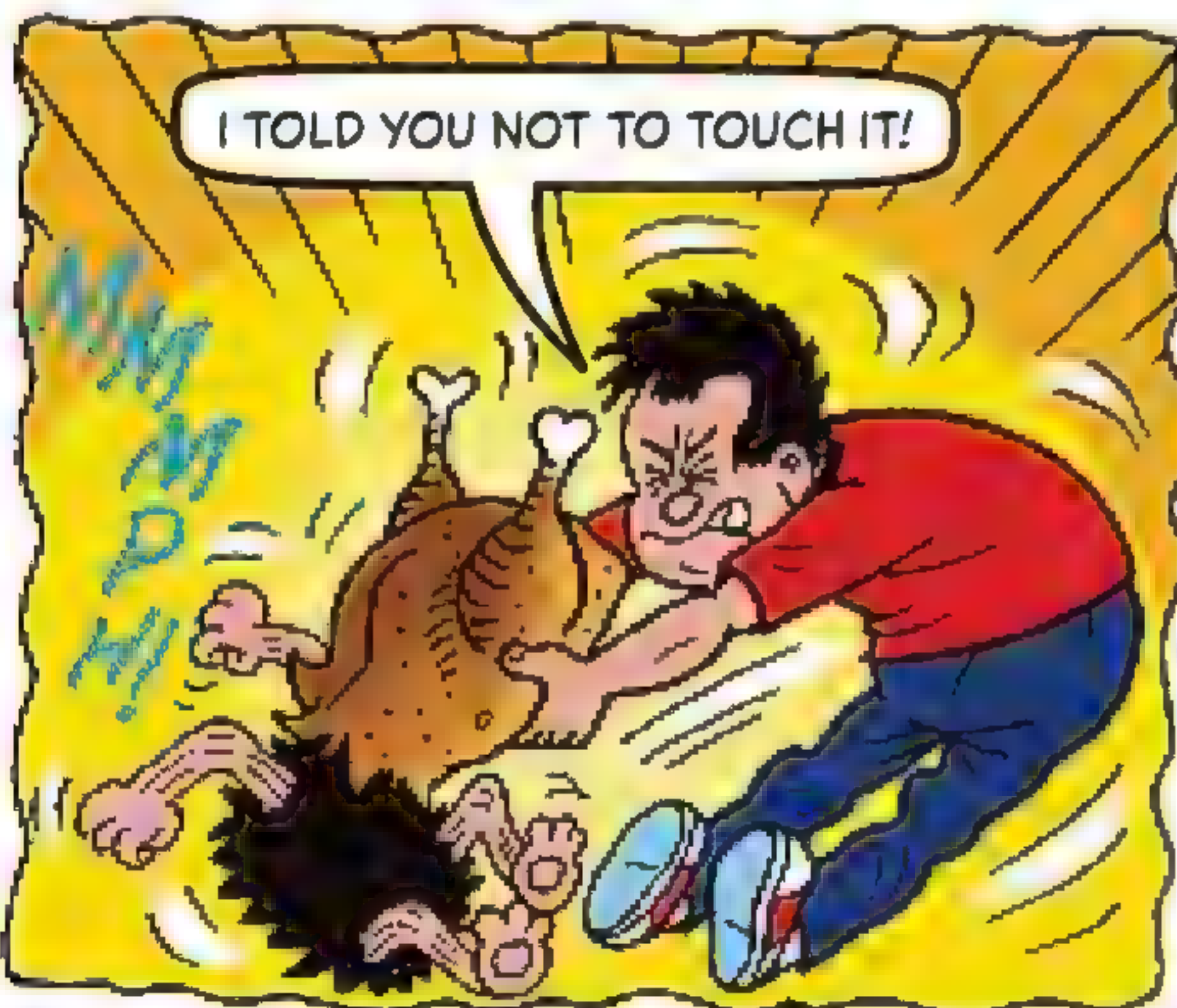
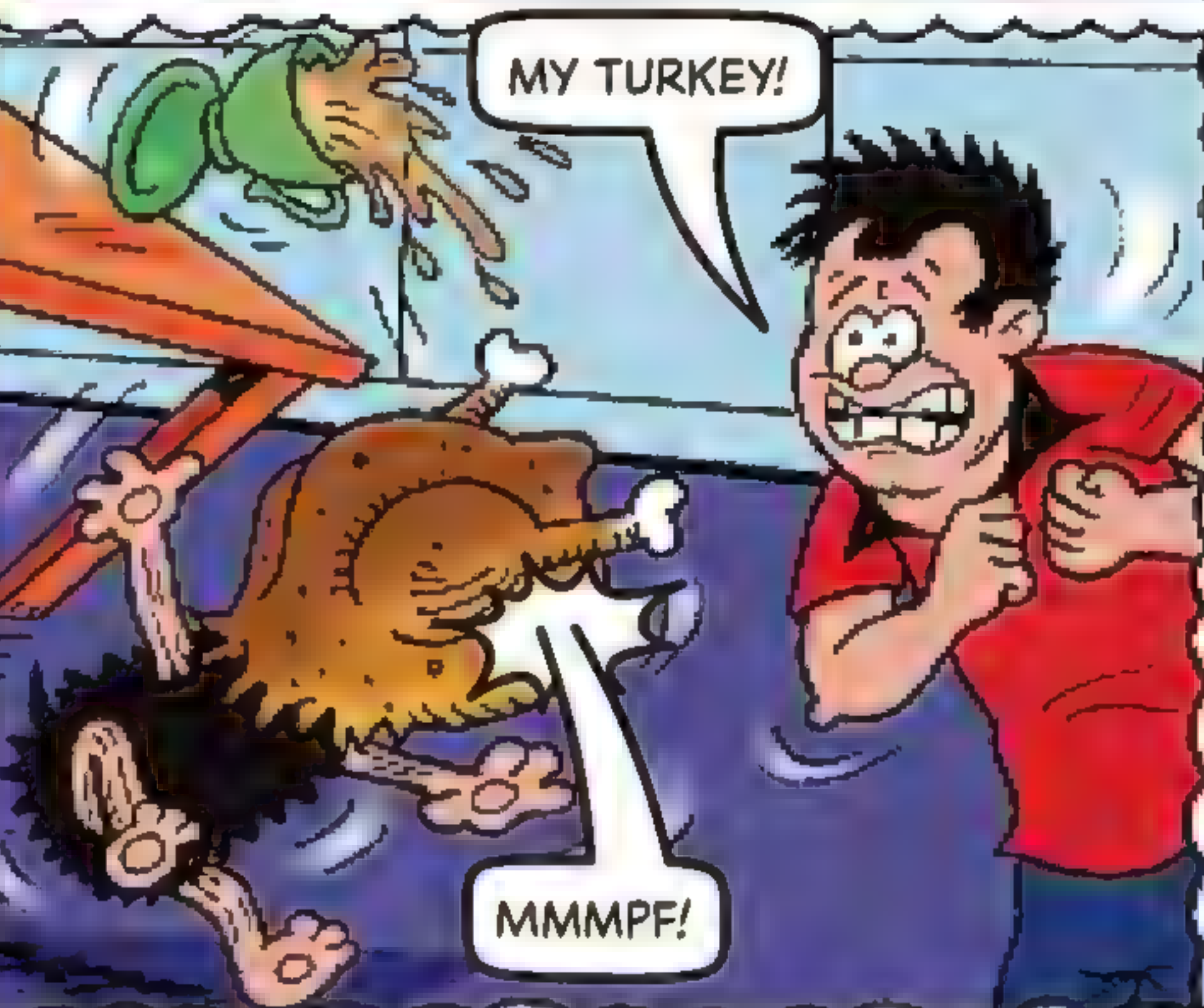
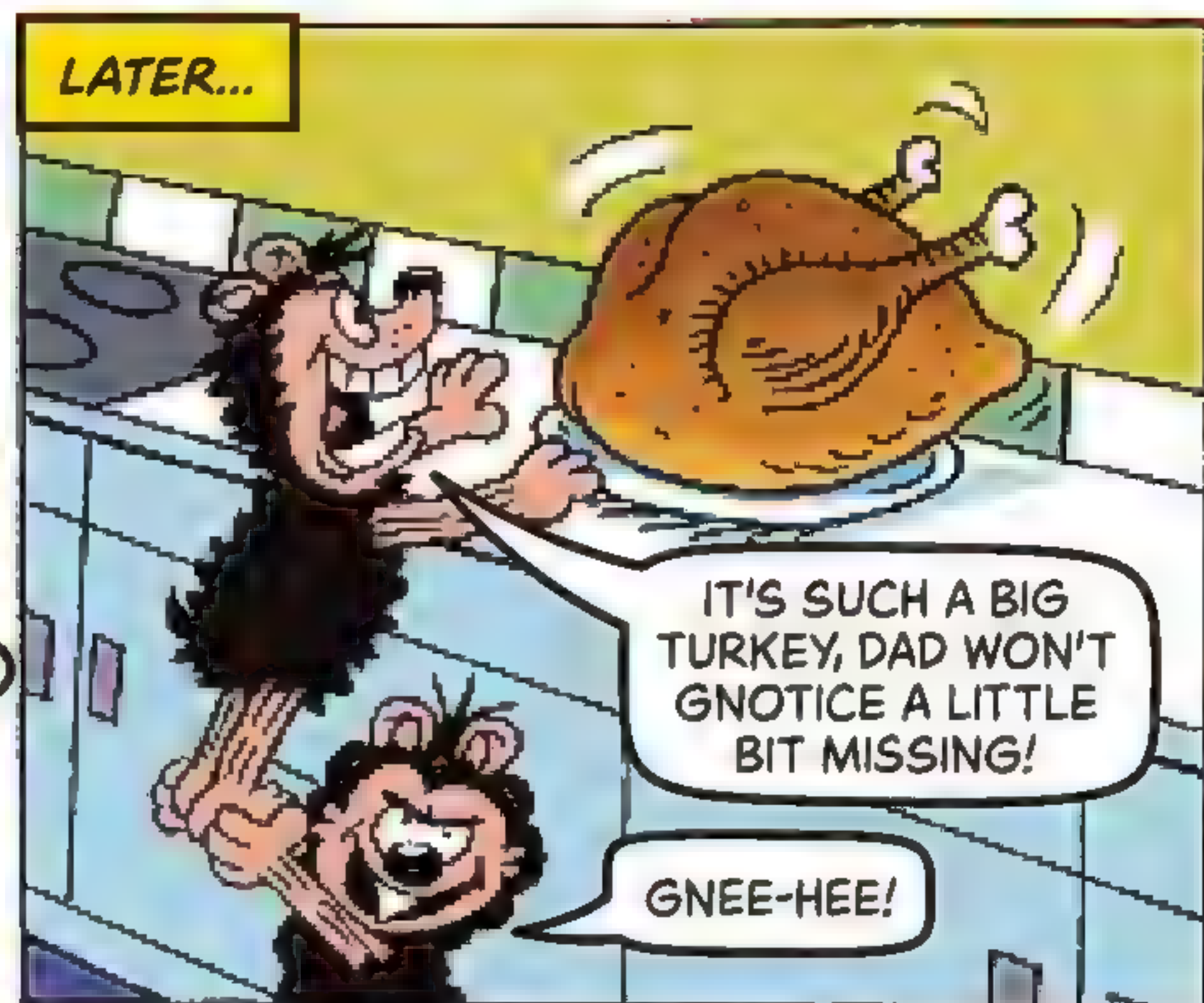
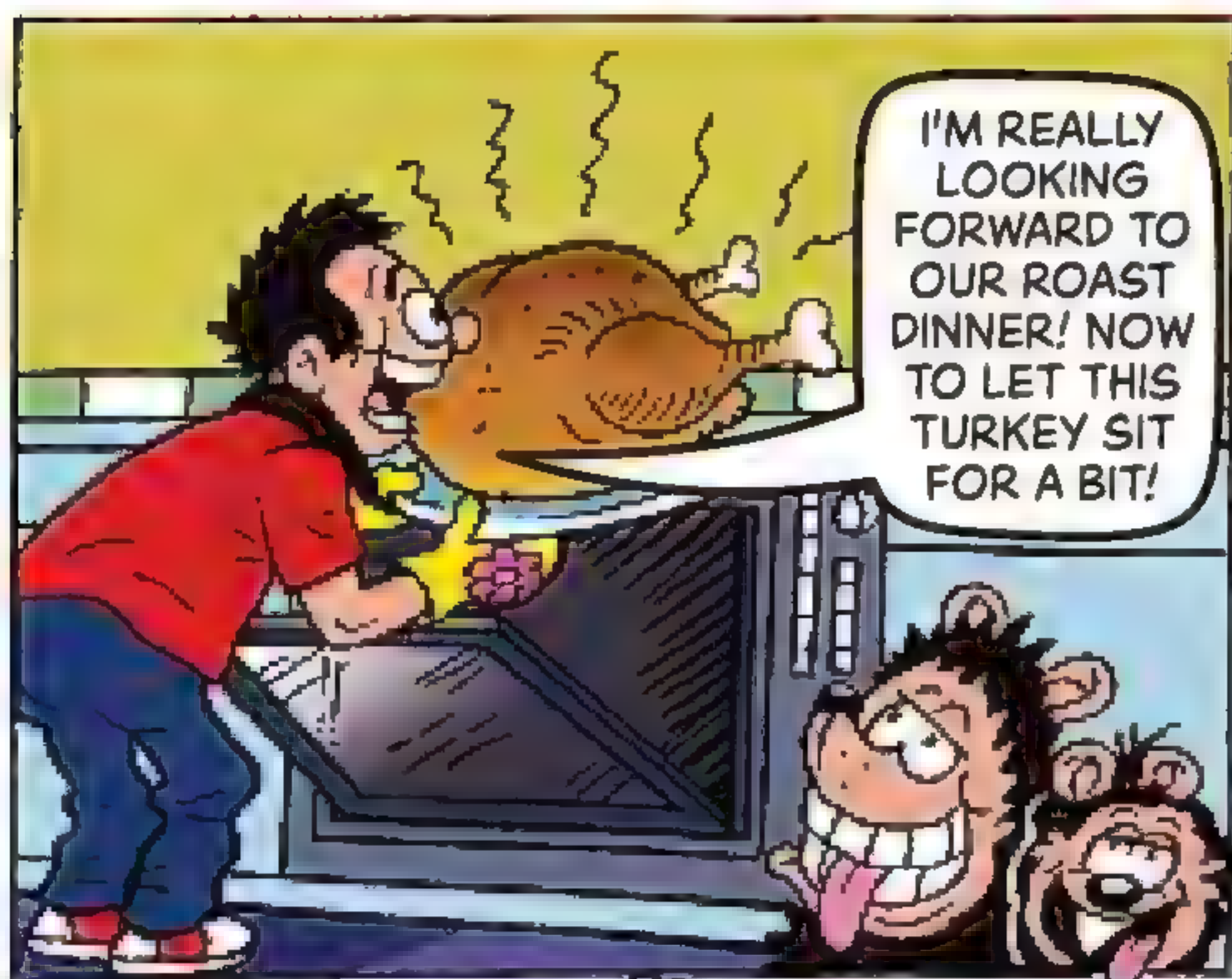


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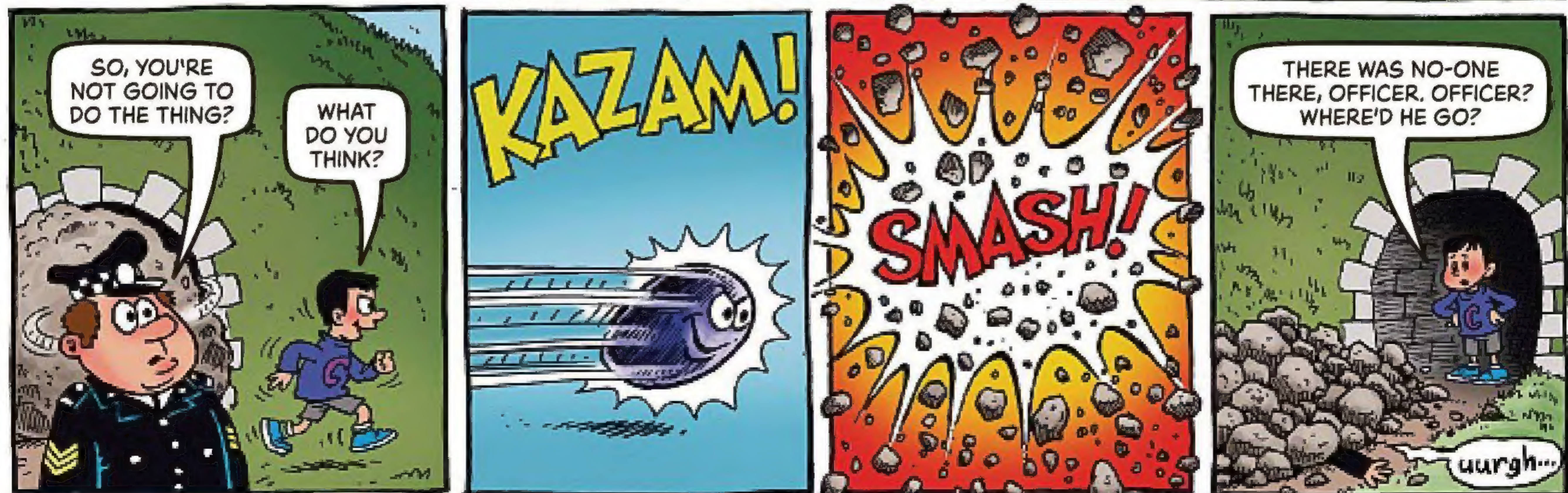
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